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## Comment Of The Day

### THE SEAWAY

THE new, proud St. Lawrence Seaway which the Queen and President Eisenhower jointly open on Friday promises as profound a revolution for the industrial and agricultural heart of North America as the opening of the Suez Canal provided for the Far East and its trade with Europe. This much seems certain from the first few weeks of its existence. For now ships of all nations have a direct access to one of the greatest industrial areas in the world on the shores of the Great Lakes. Britain had similar hopes—and fears—when the Manchester ship canal opened for business. The great ports of London and Liverpool, it was said, would be eclipsed by the new inland port situated in the industrial North. But if this threat failed to materialize to any significant extent in the United Kingdom, it would be short-sighted to predict such a future for the St. Lawrence Seaway. Distances being on such a greater scale in North America, the Seaway promises to cut transport costs appreciably and eliminate much overland haulage. The carriage of bulk ore and grains along the seaway will thus be facilitated and America and Canada will send exports from Lake ports direct to the markets of the world. Imports too will be carried straight to the vast centres of production. The economy of the area will be transformed. New docklands will grow up. Road and rail transport will be affected. And the big ports of the north-east coast will receive a smaller share of incoming and outgoing cargoes.

THE Seaway opens at a time of acute unemployment in Canada. Fortunately, this is defining now, though the jobless once numbered almost 10 per cent of the working population. Now it has about seven per cent, still large by British standards, but the creation of new openings of employment on the northern shores of the Lakes should benefit the Dominion considerably. What does the Seaway involve? Briefly the conversion of a 2,300-mile river into a navigable waterway for all but the very biggest vessels in the world. Perhaps the only ones that will be excluded except for the big passenger liners, which would have no reason to use the waterway anyway, will be the giant tankers that are now being constructed. But all freight-carrying ships including the bulk ore and grain carriers will be able to use this "step-ladder" to the Great Lakes.

THE system of seven locks will carry shipping up to Lake Superior, 600 feet above the level of the Atlantic Ocean at the mouth of the St. Lawrence. Impassable waterfalls which impeded the passage of the famous French explorer, Cartier more than 300 years ago have been bypassed. There is no waterway in the world which has overcome so many natural obstacles—or cost so much as the thousand million dollars that has been spent on the project in the last five years. It is truly one of the great engineering feats of the century for which the Canadians who shouldered the burden of the work have much to be proud of.

## PEKING REPORTS TWO MILLION HOMELESS 187 DIE IN FLOODS

### Great Losses Caused Near Canton

Peking, June 24.

One hundred eighty-seven Chinese have died in floods this month near Canton, capital of the South China province of Kwangtung, it was officially reported here today.

Incomplete figures also showed 20 missing and 204 injured, the official Hsinhua News Agency reported.

The agency said the 187 killed included Communist party officials who had helped to fight floods as well as peasants. It said the total number of flood victims was about two million.

#### Marooned

Observers took this figure as including people who had been marooned or whose homes, crops and other property had been damaged or lost. The Agency said that homes destroyed by flood numbered more than 200,000 but did not specify the number of houses lost. (Observers said the average peasant's home had about two or three rooms.) The agency report, published in today's Peking newspapers, said the floods, along the valleys of the East, Tseung and Lohai rivers east of Canton, were the worst for ten years and caused "great losses."—Reuter.

### £100 ONLY FOR UK TOURISTS

London, June 23.

British tourists will still get only £100 spending money a year for foreign travel, the Government announced today.

Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir James Callaghan, told Parliament he did not plan to change the foreign exchange allowance for Britons at the moment.

But he said he would not maintain the present restrictions "any longer than necessary."

Britain's present booming prosperity resulted in reports in the British press recently that the £100 allowance would be increased or that restrictions would be lifted altogether.—UPI.

### Dominicans Quell Revolution

Ciudad Trujillo, June 23.

Government forces have "completely exterminated" a force of invaders which tried to start an armed revolt against the regime of President Hector Trujillo, military authorities here claimed tonight.

The force "has been completely exterminated—all its members were killed," the authorities said. (Reports reaching Port-au-Prince in neighbouring Haiti quoted a high security source as saying the invaders came from the direction of Cuba).—Reuter.

### New Irish PM

Dublin, June 23.

Mr. Sean Lemass was tonight elected Prime Minister of the Irish Republic in the Dail by 75 votes to 61.—Reuter.

### ESCAPED LABORATORY MONKEY SHOT DEAD ON GOVT ORDERS

London, June 23.

A MONKEY being taken to a laboratory for experiments escaped today and was shot dead on government orders. A Ministry of Supply spokesman denied earlier reports that the monkey was infected from previous experiments on germ warfare.

He said it was not infected in any way and had not been used for experiments. The Ministry warned police that the animal was dangerous and farmers and police in the area of the south coast town of Worthing set out to search for it. Farmer Peter Bastable, 24, spotted it in a tree

and shot it dead. The monkey, which weighed 20 pounds and was seven-year-old, was being taken from the Ministry's micro-biological research establishment at Salisbury to an animal farm near Worthing. From there it was going to a university. It escaped when doors of a truck flew open. The Ministry said the monkey was dangerous to the public only in the sense that any wild or undomesticated animal was dangerous. The body was covered and guarded, after Bastable shot it, until Ministry officials collected it.—UPI.

### SEARCH FOR KIDNAPPED MAN INTENSIFIES

By A CHINA MAIL REPORTER

The police search for the kidnapped Mr. Wong Ying-kau intensified today following official confirmation that his family had received a ransom note for half a million dollars from Macao.

Hongkong Police were reported to have despatched a contingent to Macao.

Police are said to have received a ransom note on the night where Mr. Wong is being kept prisoner, and have alerted their officers and detectives to round up gangsters in Hongkong believed to have been involved in the kidnapping.

Although official information is scanty, it is learned that Wong is being well treated by the kidnappers.

The ransom note was addressed to Mr. Wong's father. The letter specified the time limit and procedure for payment to be made in Macao and threatened Mr. Wong's life if the conditions were not met.

#### Last Seen

The kidnappers are demanding payment by instalments.

Wong, a big oil distributor for a foreign oil concern and honorary president of the Chinese Athletic Association and the Hongkong and Kowloon Basketball Association, was last seen leaving the Cactus Night Club in the Luk Kwok Hotel Building, Wanchai, at 1.45 a.m. last Friday.

He has been missing ever since and his car was found abandoned on the plaza near French Street, Western District, on Saturday. Four fingerprints other than Wong's were found inside the car.

Reports also said the thugs belong to a certain secret society.

### Satchmo Improves



LOUIS ARMSTRONG

Spoleto, Italy, June 23. Louis "Satchmo" Armstrong, the world's greatest jazz trumpeter who was rushed to hospital here today with heart and lung trouble may be well enough to leave "in a few days" his doctor said tonight.

His condition which prompted his personal physician Dr. Alexander Seiff to say earlier that Armstrong must lie still for six weeks has shown "a marked improvement" since this morning.—Reuter.

### Queen & Duke At Home To Press

Quebec City, June 23.

Queen Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh were "at home to the press" aboard the royal yacht Britannia tonight at a reception for the newspaper corps covering their six-day-old tour of Canada.

They circulated among correspondents, photographers and newspaper executives while Royal Marine musicians from Portsmouth played selections from "The King and I" and other light pieces. Both the main deck and the royal deck were used for the reception at which the atmosphere was markedly relaxed.

#### Quite Aware

Canadian journalists who asked the Queen what she thought of certain recent articles in newspapers and magazines which were critical of her tour, said that she was quite aware of these articles but observed that the press was free to write what it pleased.

### PHILIP ENTERS AIR RACE

London, June 23.

The Duke of Edinburgh is reported today to have entered Britain's national air races next month with an aircraft designed in France, powered by a German engine and built by a British firm. The News Chronicle says that the plane, a Turbulent, will be the Duke's first entrant in the races, to be staged at Coventry on July 9. The low-winged aircraft is to carry the Duke's coat of arms and will be piloted by his equerry, Squadron Leader John Severne.—Reuter.

The journalists also asked the Duke of Edinburgh about his views on photographers and he replied that he did not object to photographers as long as they kept within bounds, though it became embarrassing for the Queen and himself when one photographer slipped out of line and came too close. All other photographers then generally followed this example.

The Duke was also quoted as objecting to "psychological photography" which the Canadian journalists took to mean use of telescopic lenses and miniature cameras to catch such informal angles as the tugging and nose blowing.

The province of Quebec tonight established a quarter-million dollar foundation to study heart disease as one way of celebrating the visit here of the Queen and the Duke.

Quebec Premier Maurice Duplessis told a capacity crowd that the foundation would start work immediately in the fight against sometimes deadly heart ailments.—Reuter.

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### KIWIS BAN BUGS BUNNY

Auckland, June 23.

The New Zealand Broadcasting Service has withdrawn from the air children's records featuring characters speaking bad grammar. Among them is Bugs Bunny.

A spokesman said the banned records had characters which spoke with "distorted" vowels, and the stories introduced idioms and pronouns below the accepted standards of good speech in New Zealand.—UPI.

## JOHANSSON FACES BIG LAWSUIT

New York, June 23.

A suit asking for more than \$175,000 damages was filed against Swedish boxer Ingemar Johansson today virtually on the eve of his heavy-weight title fight with World Champion Lloyd Patterson.

The suit in the federal court here was filed by California boxer Eddie Machen and the Chicago Stadium Corporation. It accused Johansson, four other individuals and two firms of violating a return bout agreement with Machen.

The other defendants were named as Edwin Ahlquist of Sweden, Patterson, Cus D'Amato, Patterson's Manager, William Rosenzohn Enterprises, which is promoting the title fight in Yankee Stadium here on Thursday night and Teleprompter Corporation.

The suit alleged that the defendants "conspired" together and maliciously entered into a scheme to induce and in fact did induce Ingemar Johansson to violate and break a return bout agreement with Machen.

#### An Agreement

Johansson knocked out Machen in one round in a bout in Göteborg, Sweden before he was offered the chance to challenge Patterson.

The suit said that on September 13, 1958 Machen and Johansson had entered into an agreement in Göteborg in which Johansson agreed that if he won the match on the following day he would meet Machen again during the last week of January or the first two weeks of February in Chicago.

The suit said it had been further agreed that Johansson would not meet anyone in the United States, nor Patterson anywhere in the world until after the return bout with Machen.—Reuter.

### HK Girl's Trial Today In Manila

Manila, June 24.

The trial of a Cathay Pacific flight stewardess, who is accused of an attempted smuggling of \$55,000 out of Manila, is scheduled to open today in nearby Pasay City.

Miss Catherine Cheuk, 26, pleaded not guilty when arraigned early this month before the Pasay City prosecuting attorney. She was freed on a \$3,000 bail.

#### Discovered

Agents of the National Bureau of Investigation and the customs bureau arrested Miss Cheuk last April 30 on suspicion of trying to smuggle \$55,000 out of the Philippines.

The agents discovered the money hidden in an expensive luggage which was later found to be Miss Cheuk's.

She claimed that the luggage was given her by a Filipino woman. She described the woman as fat, dark and about 40 years old.

The flight stewardess, however, could not furnish the complete identity of the woman.—UPI.

#### "Fact Finding"

New York, June 23. A party of nine State Government agents left here today for a three-week "fact finding" tour to the Soviet Union.—Reuter.



INGEMAR JOHANSSON

### Explorers' Remains Found

Paris, June 23.

A British-French-Belgian expedition has found a sepulchral mound on the south Pacific island of Vanikoro marking the graves of the men of the French ship La Boussole, which foundered in 1788 after a race to Australia. The La Boussole was beaten by two days by Governor Philip in a race to establish a settlement in Australia.

Words of the discovery were sent to Paris to the wife of M. Haroun Tazieff, leader of the expedition which is exploring the island. Madame Tazieff said the cable also reported the discovery of two anchors and the ballast of another vessel, identified as the Astrolabe.

The La Boussole was captained by the French navigator Jean-Francois De La Perouse.

The frigates Antroub and La Boussole comprised an exploration fleet commissioned by King Louis XVI, of which De La Perouse was the leader.

De La Perouse was killed on the island of Vanikoro by the natives.—Reuter.

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### Misunderstanding Results In A 'Dead' Prime Minister

London, June 23.

A RHODESIAN Government spokesman here said tonight it was possible that a misunderstanding of a sentence in a news cable had started erroneous reports about the death of Sir Roy Welensky, Prime Minister of the Rhodesian Federation.

News agency reports reaching London of a sentence in the big Kariba dam in Southern Rhodesia attended by Sir Roy

contained a sentence that he had "flipped the bucket" of cement on the dam wall.

The Rhodesian Government spokesman in London said he had been phoned by an overseas journalist who asked for confirmation of reports that the Prime Minister had died. "This was a bit of a shock to us and we immediately contacted news agencies and newspapers in Fleet Street

for information," the spokesman said.

A check showed that the agency reports mentioned the Prime Minister "flipping the bucket" of cement. The only possible explanation for the wild rumour seems to be that somebody reading the report on the tapes mis-read or misunderstood it to mean "kicking the bucket"—(a slang term for dying).—Reuter.



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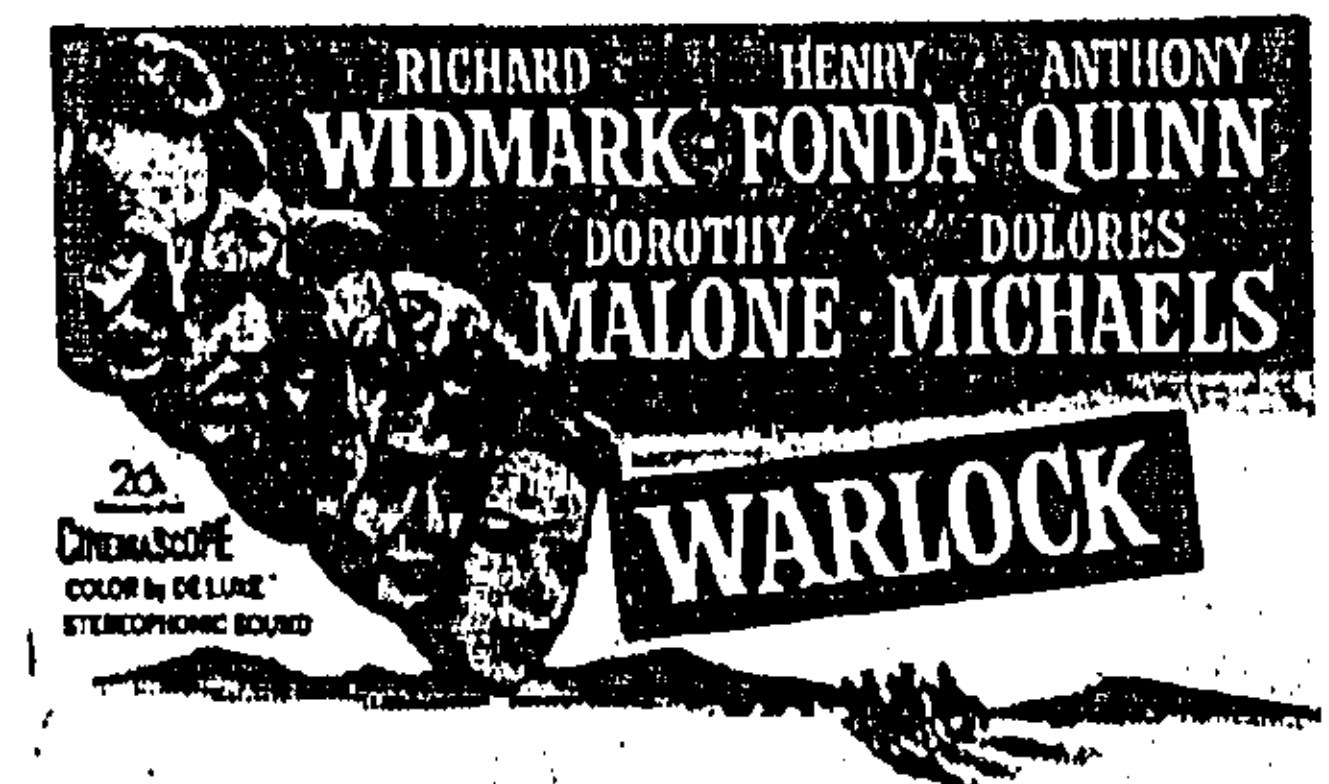
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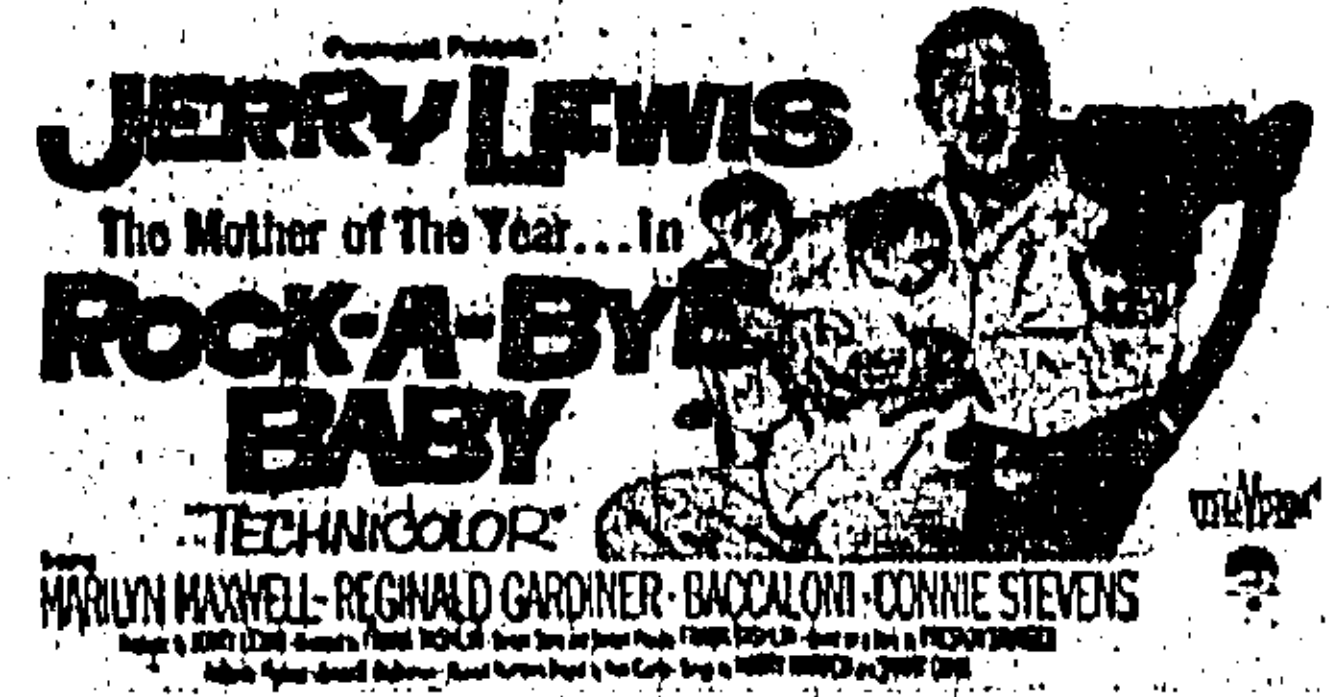
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# THE LOCAL SLANT

By ELIZABETH FOX

## The Day Is Not Long Enough For Le Comte

FOR someone who is interested in old jade and porcelain, Hongkong must be the ideal place for a visit.

### Dorothy Malone To Marry

By ANDREW SLOAN  
Dorothy Malone, Hollywood actress with a liking for English grammar, arrived here the other day after completing her part in a movie being made in Japan.

But the movie, "The Last Voyage," provided Dorothy with some of her worst moments in her screen career. Yesterday Dorothy told me about the part she had to play in the film, which concerns mainly the liner Ile de France. The ship was hired for a fantastic sum of money from the Japanese shipyard who had bought her for scrap.

The film crew systematically blow up and "sink" the big liner, filling her with water, setting off dynamite and starting fires. During one of these scenes, Dorothy found herself trapped under a pile of debris and jagged steel. With the temperature in the region of 120 degrees the actress began to get worried and she felt the ship being sunk. "I was really frightened. I didn't know whether I would get burned to death, electrocuted or go down with the ship," she said, recalling those anxious moments.

**DISCOURAGED**  
Born in Dallas, Texas, the 5 feet 6½ inches blonde, said she should be in the Colony for about a week to 10 days. "But I am going to try and stretch that to two weeks or more."

She has only been in the Colony for a little over a day and a half, but has seen enough to realise that she can save money. Dorothy plans to tell her friends in America, "Save your pennies and come on over to Hongkong."

"But I wish Hongkong wasn't so far away from America, I think that has discouraged quite a few travellers," she said. I asked Dorothy if she liked being a star or not, and she replied, "Well it has its advantages and its drawbacks, you know. I have to work long hours and put in a lot of hard work when working on a movie. But I love to travel."

"When we travel, we travel under real and glamorous circumstances. The nice thing about it is to arrive somewhere and the people know you. That way you don't feel like a stranger."

**GENERAL RULE**  
As a general rule, Dorothy does not worry about her health, but when she hears about a disease "for the next 10 minutes I have all the symptoms and quite convince myself that I have it. Then it's all over and I forget about it."

Asked what she would like to do if she could start again, she replied, "Well I'm a little like a cat. I've always wanted nine lives and I would do everything different each time."

Dorothy, an Oscar award winner for her performance in "Written on the Wind," said her most satisfying performance was in the film "Battle Cry." "I have made so many movies that I have stopped bothering to count them, because some years I do only one, and I can remember one year I completed eight of them."

If she had not been discovered in college in Dallas by a talent scout, Dorothy said she would have liked to be a nurse, a housewife or an English teacher, or even a dress designer.

**SPECIAL LICENCE**  
Well now the secret is out. Dorothy and actor Jacques Bergerac have applied to the Marriage Registry in Hongkong, confirming the rumors that have been flying around town, even before they had arrived in the Colony. They have applied for a special licence to the Governor, allowing them to marry within the normal period. I learned too, although the couple declined to make any comment yesterday, that there was a possibility of a church wedding.

Just such a person is Comte Henri de la Briere who frequently comes here on business in the course of his travels.

A charming and friendly man, Henri works for a very distinguished house of French performers and obviously thoroughly enjoys his occupation which takes him all over the world—"To Cuba, India, New York," said Henri, to name but a few, "and I'm off to Tokyo Thursday."

Although born in France near Valenciennes, Henri now makes his home in London. When the war began, he found that there wasn't much doing in the French Air Force so he joined the RAF. One of his stations was in Syria. "We have quite a family connection with Syria and Lebanon," he said. "My great grandfather went out there in 1868 and spent 30 years there."



Henri de la Briere

building railways and the port of Beirut. My grandfather joined him and my mother used to spend her school holidays with them and then, of course I was there as well."

It was after the war that Henri decided to live in England. "I've been away from France too long," he told me. "After you've travelled a lot, you get a different outlook on a place. You see... it's like living in a country village always and then one day you climb the hill nearby and looking down suddenly it doesn't seem the same village."

**Always Flies**  
Wherever he goes, Henri has to fly and he's now crossed the Atlantic 26 times. Once he cancelled a flight to Baghdad and afterwards discovered that if he'd gone, he would have arrived the day revolution broke out.

With the usual luggage problem, he would sometimes prefer going by sea. "It's all very well," he said, puffing away at a mysterious cigar, "I get interested in carpets in Iran, jade here and antiques somewhere else—but when it comes down to packing everything, where am I going to put it all?"

When he has time, he adores sailing and is a real "hunting" fisherman, and shooting type. Actually I'm not so sure about the fishing part, but he told me that he loved shooting, rough shooting and once very nearly went on a tiger hunt with a maharajah friend in India, but unfortunately that didn't come off.

**Too Short**  
"Life is too short," said Henri. "I never seem to finish the day thinking—well, I've done everything I wanted to do today." However, he hopes to come back to Hongkong in the Chinese New Year, so perhaps he will have time to finish the things left undone on this visit.

## 152 American Women Invade HK

YOU may have seen a number of American women in Hongkong last week, with pale green tickets pinned to them inscribed "GFWC".

They are all members of the biggest group ever to arrive in the Colony and are a 152-strong contingent of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

They were here on a short visit as part of a world tour to foster better understanding and friendship between women of all nations. Leading the group is Miss Chloe Gifford, the President of the Federation and a truly remarkable woman.

### Political Science

Born in Lexington, Kentucky, Miss Gifford studied political science and sociology, earned a law degree and has a long record of church and community service, completing jobs with the same energy and efficiency with which she begins them and topping it all she has a keen sense of humour.

She wanted to become a juvenile court judge, but due to her youth, she was not admitted to the Kentucky Bar in 1926.

At the University of Kentucky Miss Gifford taught political science and along with this she helped in the Extension Department. She proved to have a magic hand in this work and it was from there that her interest in extension was projected nationwide.

As a vice-president of the GFWC, she was asked to recruit 100,000 new members, and 20 new clubs in each state and 10 new members in each established club. She thereupon embarked on a coast to coast recruitment project and during the course of it, travelled to each of the 50 states in America.

### Anecdotes

While doing this, she gathered many anecdotes which she says she will put in a book sometime.

Miss Gifford, who happily admits to being stylishly stout, recalled an episode that took place in Indianapolis. "I was guest at a luncheon where sizes 10 and 12 were showing off the latest fashions. Not a woman in the room could have squeezed into these numbers. I had to leave the room, and as I threaded my way between the tables, a woman looked up and said, 'Now here comes something that I can wear!' It was too late to make a detour, so I had to pass the woman. As I did, she grabbed my arm and asked, 'How much for that number?' I didn't want to disappoint her so I said, '\$89.95 and kept going."

In her work for the GFWC, Miss Gifford has yet found time to belong to various honorary educational and social societies and is a member of 16 national and state boards and committees.

### No Incidents

So far, having already visited Hawaii, Honolulu, and Japan, their present trip has gone off very smoothly with no incidents or hitches.

"Everyone, wherever we've stopped has been most kind and hospitable," Miss Gifford told me.

"Of course," she said, "a tour like this, with such a large group, needs a great deal of preparation and organization. It's hard work but it's fun!" The trip has not been backed or sponsored by anyone, the money has been provided by the club members individually. Some of them are only going



MISS C. GIFFORD

as far as Manila, where the GFWC is holding the first General Federation Asiatic Convention which will be the key point of the tour. Only 50 will continue on round the world to places such as Jordan, Lebanon, India, Pakistan, Austria and France. For these members, the journey is going to set them back some HK\$18,000.

### Waiting List

"There was a waiting list of people wanting to come," Miss Gifford remarked.

In conclusion, she said, "We want to learn from other lands what people are doing in fields of health, education and welfare. To make person to person contacts. If all women in all countries got together we'd have a better world. You know—women are extremely powerful. We don't want war, we want peace... with friends everywhere."

And so say all of us.

### Quarrel Solved

Bonn, June 23.  
The latest quarrel between Dr. Konrad Adenauer, West German Chancellor and his deputy, Economic Minister Professor Ludwig Erhard, was resolved today, the West German news agency DPA said tonight. —Reuter.

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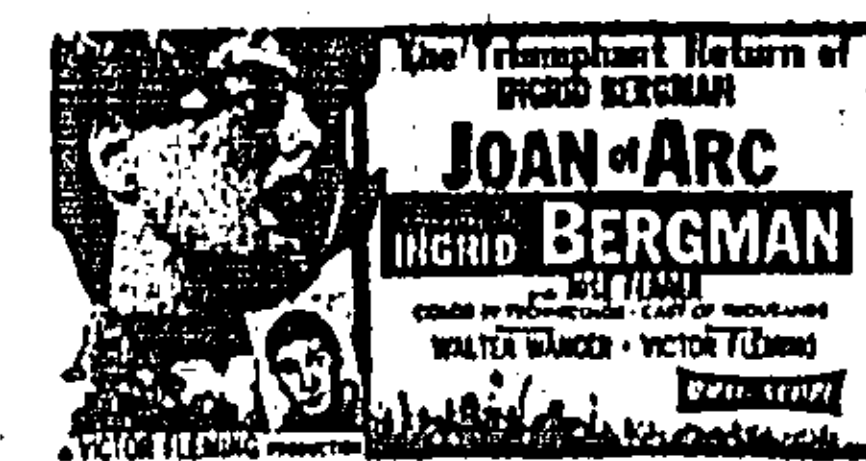
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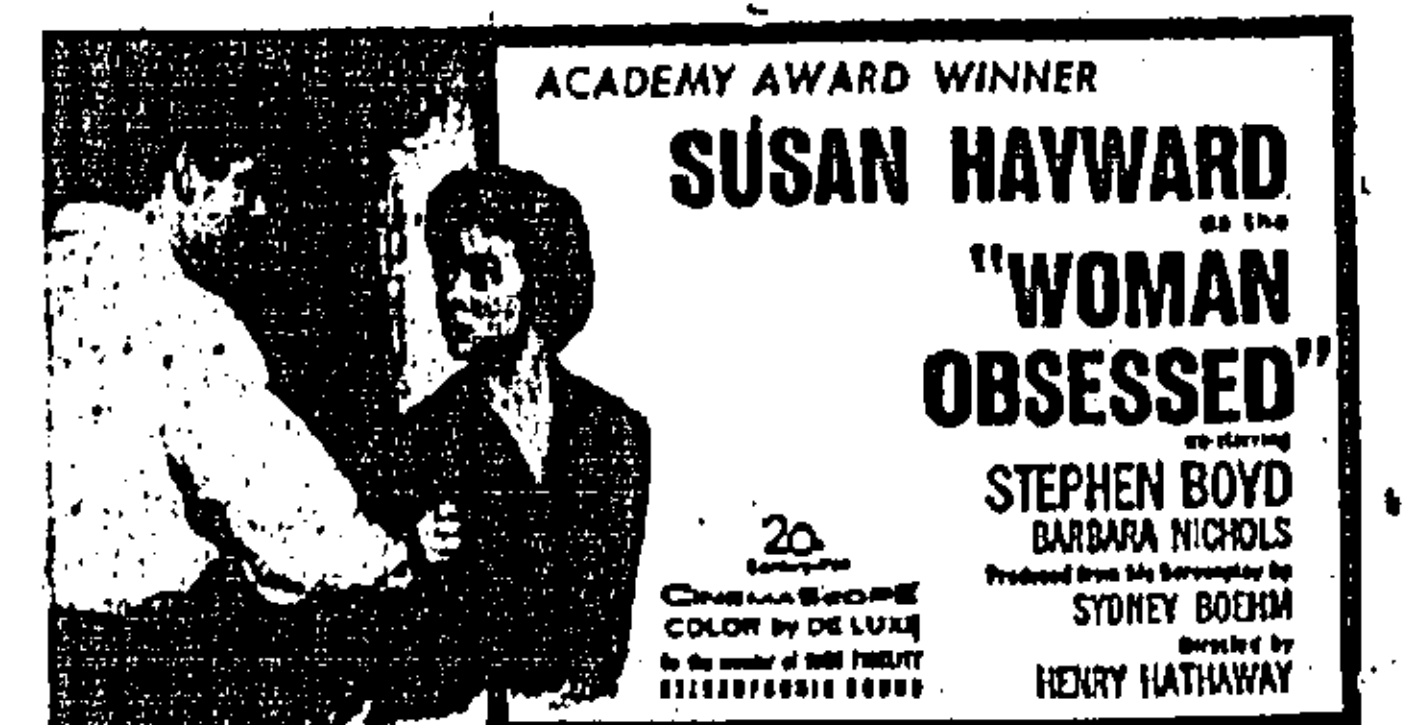
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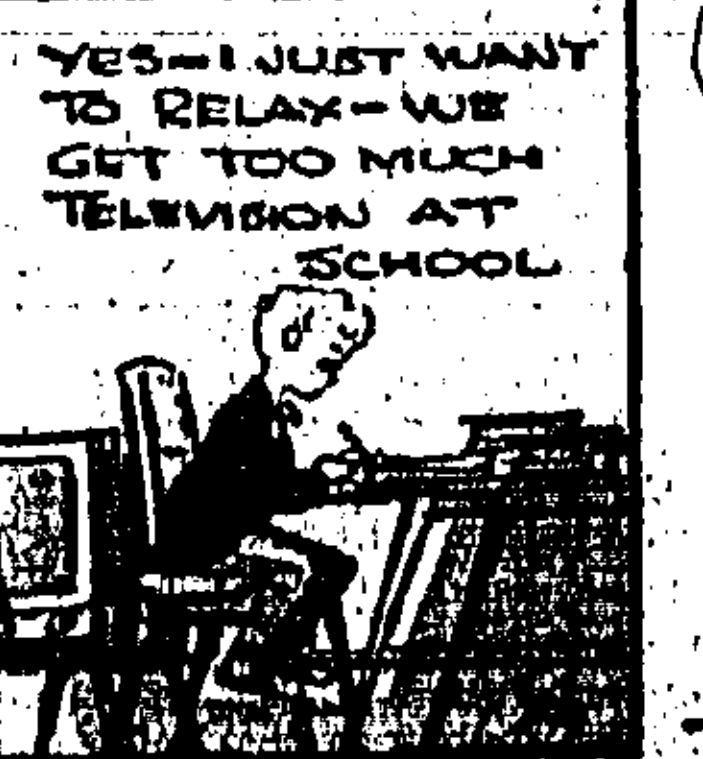
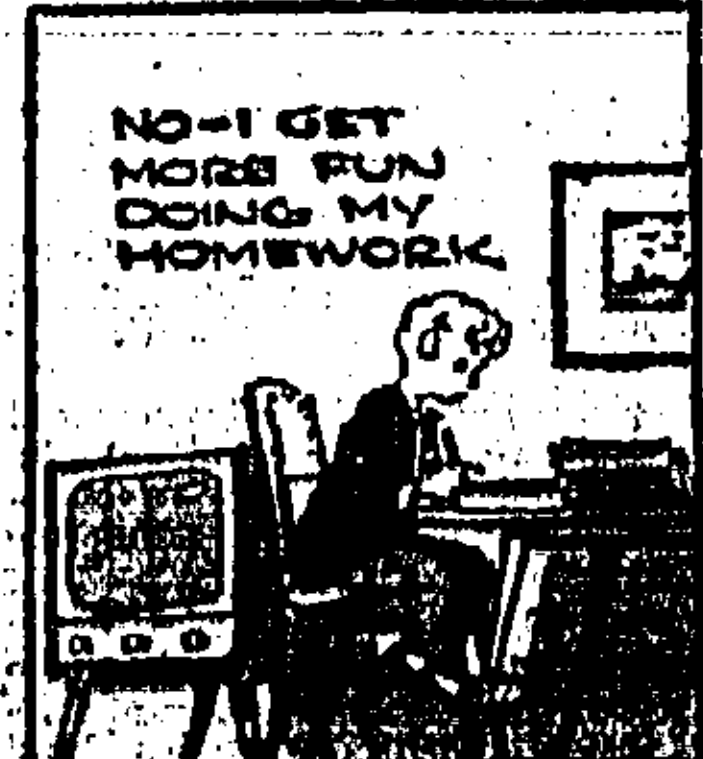
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# THE "FUCHS AFFAIR" COMES TO A CLOSE

## "QUEEN" CAME TO STAY

London, June 23.

The release today of atomic scientist Klaus Emil Julius Fuchs after nine years in gaol marks the end of one of the most extraordinary postwar espionage affairs.

### The Duke Takes Command

Arvida, June 23. The Duke of Edinburgh took command of the royal yacht Britannia yesterday to berth her at Port Alfred on the Sangueney River for a brief visit to the area with the Queen, officials later disclosed.

Captain George Swales, the Manchester-born port manager, said the Duke did a "beautiful job" in bringing the yacht alongside precisely where the gangway stood ready for the royal party to disembark—despite incorrect markings on the pier.

Because of the markings, the Duke was asked to bring the royal yacht 12 feet ahead, but he shook his head and used his own judgment.

### Banner-Waving

Earlier farmers and residents of small communities along the 20-mile-long island of Orleans had watched and waved as the Britannia steamed slowly past.

Mayor Leon Noel of St. Petronille on the extreme western tip of the island stood surrounded by about 80 banner-waving school children as the yacht went by.

A few private craft, mostly motorboats, went on to the river to get a closer view.

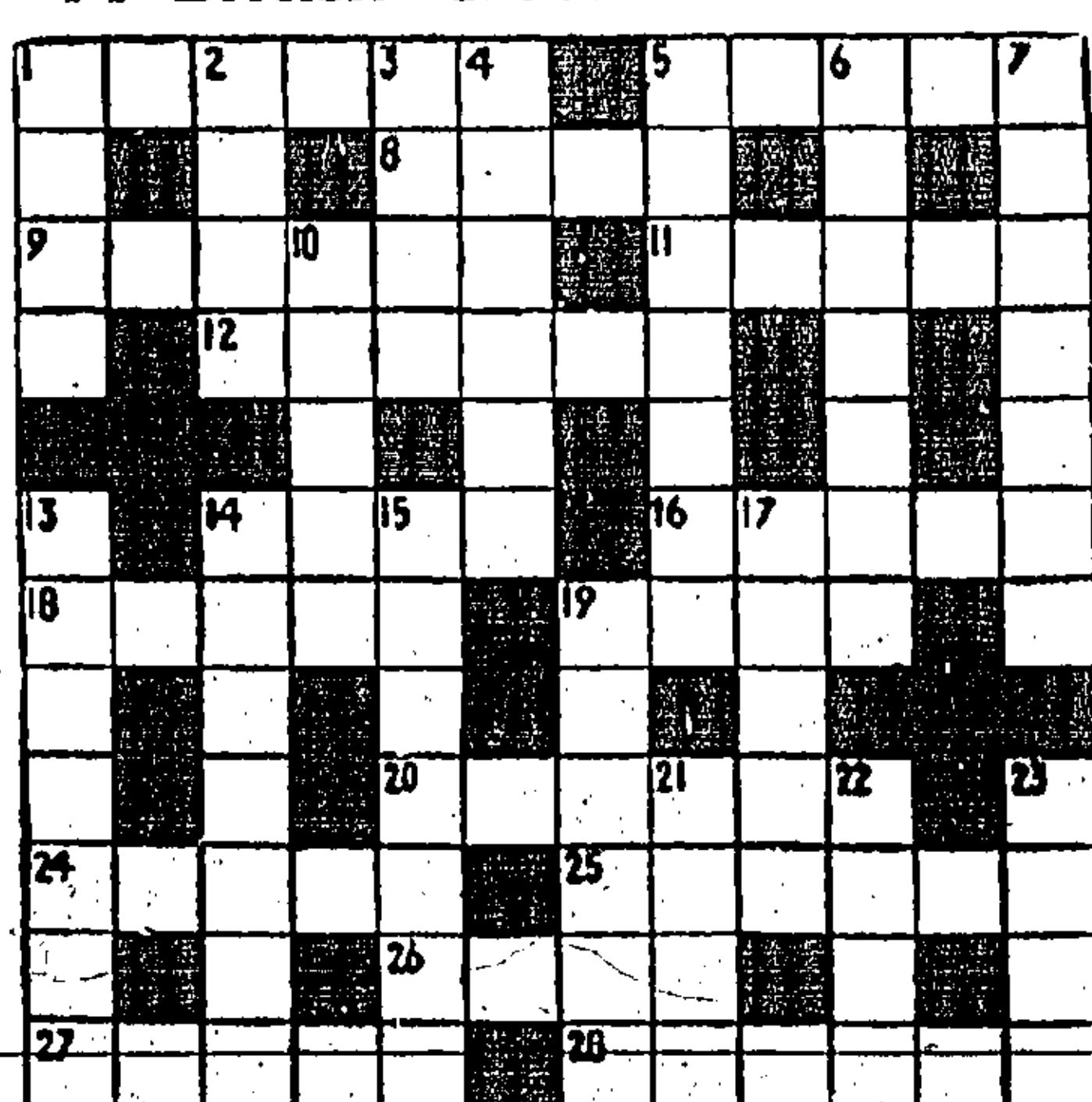
The island, a few miles east of Quebec City, has about 6,000 residents, mostly farmers, and many fine old French churches and homes.—Reuter.

### Airman Insane

London, June 23. John Berridge, a 21-year-old airman on leave from Germany who shot his parents dead as they lay in bed, was found guilty but insane of the murder yesterday.

The judge directed that Berridge should be detained at Broadmoor or a similar institution "during Her Majesty's pleasure."—China Mail Special.

### A British Crossword Puzzle



#### ACROSS

- 1 Cookery aid (6).
- 5 Face it (5).
- 8 The A of A.D. (4).
- 9 Pass on (9).
- 11 Hurd lines! (5).
- 12 Scanty (6).
- 14 Lot of money on the carpet (4).
- 16 Shell (5).
- 18 Excite to action (5).
- 19 Merry old monarch (4).
- 20 Commission, news, estate or enemy? (6).
- 24 Two is and only one dot? (4).
- 25 Fool (5).
- 26 Shoe part (6).
- 27 Egress (4).
- 28 Moves to the side? (5).
- 29 Cuddle up (6).

#### DOWN

- 1 Engineer's in control (4).
- 2 Loving trophies? Might be (4).
- 3 Some separated rubber (4).
- 4 Right-of admission to the main course (6).
- 5 More to start a cherry (7).
- 6 It's a crime (7).
- 7 He takes money to terminate the commission (7).
- 10 Garden pest (5).
- 13 Slide view (7).
- 14 Sweet (7).
- 15 Representatives (7).
- 17 The best in fine literature (5).
- 19 Mental defective (6).
- 21 Not hard cash, we observe (4).
- 22 Aberdonian, perhaps, upset by the cost! (4).
- 23 Used for fencing (4).

YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD: Across: 1 Naham, 4 Re-ort, 8 Zodiac, 10 Bairs, 12 Moway, 14 Messina, 17 Moko, 19 Staines, 20 Arenic, 22 Chw, 23 Ghostly, 27 Penned, 29 Copra, 30 Rigour, 31 Andrew, 32 Matis, Down: 1 Nizam, 2 Hides, 3 Miami, 5 Elbe, 6 Orison, 7 Tenses, 9 Consign, 11 Armies, 13 Watcher, 15 Earl, 16 Stewer, 18 Kool (rev.), 20 Acadia, 22 Sapped, 24 Odium, 25 Trois, 26 Yards, 28 Name.

### Pressmen Could Not Meet Him

Berlin, June 23. Klaus Fuchs arrived in East Germany tonight, the East German ADN agency reported.

He has returned to his father's home in Leipzig, the agency said.

The ADN agency announcement said: "The well-known atomic scientist, Dr. Klaus Fuchs, who was imprisoned for some years in England for political reasons, arrived in East Germany on June 23, 1959."

Dr. Fuchs returned to the home of his father, Doctor Fuchs, Professor of Theology at Leipzig.

Fuchs landed at the Schönefeld airport in the suburbs of Berlin which lies in East German territory.

Western journalists were banned from meeting him. East Berlin journalists reported that Fuchs refused to make a statement but allowed himself to be photographed.

Immediately afterwards Fuchs got into a car and was driven rapidly away.

Even East German journalists were prevented by the police from talking with Fuchs, so it was not known whether Professor Emil Fuchs had come to meet his son at the airport.

Fuchs also got special treatment when he left the airport, since the car which met him did not use the usual road from the East Berlin airport.—AFP.

### Invasion Halted

Port Au Prince, June 23. The Dominican Radio said at noon today that the government of President Hector Trujillo had liquidated an invasion of the Dominican Republic and killed all the invaders.—Reuter.

Not until last year was an agreement signed for the exchange of atomic information between the two countries.

The Fuchs affair broke out in 1950 at a time when McCarthyism was rising in the United States.

On a February morning that year, the world learned with amazement that Dr. Fuchs, head of the Harwell Atomic Centre's theoretical physics laboratory, had been arrested for transmitting scientific secrets to a foreign power—the USSR.

The scientist left Germany after the advent of Nazism and had taken refuge in Britain in 1935.

In 1942, the British Government desperately sought physicists capable of contributing to the development of Allied research and found Fuchs in an internment camp for enemy aliens.

### Sent To US

Fuchs was simply asked to sign the "Secrecy Act," an oath asked of any official whose work touches in any way whatever the security of the country.

Fuchs was rapidly granted British citizenship and was sent to the US to participate in experiments at the famous Los Alamos Atomic Centre where the Hiroshima and Nagasaki bombs were born.

Sometime after the end of the war the American counter-intelligence agency gave Scotland Yard some disturbing information about Fuchs.

It was established that Fuchs had given information to Soviet agents over four periods: in 1943 from Birmingham, 1943 to 1944 from New York, in 1945 from Boston and in 1947 in Britain.

His trial showed the world the unexpected and shocking picture of a scientist who was both an honest man and a spy with motives outside every criterion of common sense, of a scientist torn between his duty as a British subject and what he conceived as his duty to humanity.

### New Doubts

Fuchs had feared that the United States and Britain would let the USSR absorb the German Atomic blows alone and would collapse, taking with it the last hope of socialism.

He had feared that being in sole possession of the terrible atomic weapons the US would be tempted to use them to crush its rival.

However the first postwar years and the bloody Soviet oppression in Central Europe led to new doubts in Fuchs' mind. He decided to break with his contacts and refused to deliver further information.

Several historians who kept a close eye on the affair have since maintained that Soviet agents denounced Fuchs to the US Secret Service once they became convinced that they could get nothing more from him.—AFP.



Eight months ago 18-year-old Rosemary Whitlock was voted Queen of Springs, South Africa.

The prize was a 12-day air trip to Rome. She asked the organisers to let her work in a visit to London, and complacently they agreed.

A fortnight later they turned up at Johannesburg Airport, complete with band and heroed mayor, to welcome her home—but Rosemary wasn't on the plane, and today she is still in London, because she fell in love twice—once with the city, and once with Rhodesian Brian Dickenson.

In July she plans to go home with Brian, still at the contest organisers' expense—for Rosemary repaid "no" to their infuriated request to have her ticket cancelled.

Plans shows Rosemary running herself in London.

### Top Priced "Strad"

London, June 23. A Stradivarius violin known as the "Dancia" was sold in London today for what is believed to be the record price of £8,100.

It had been sent for sale by Mr Siegfried Kohl, 78-year-old German diamond merchant living in Geneva, and was bought by Mr Jim Reno, a Manchester, England, dealer.

The previous record price for a Stradivarius in London was

£3,300 in 1957. The Dancia, named after Charles Dancia, French violinist, who owned it for over 20 years in the last century, was made by Antonio Stradivari at Cremona in 1703.—China Mail Special.

### What makes a woman magnetic?



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### He Tries A Holster For His Heart

New York, June 23.

A 65-year-old man today waited to try on a holster for his heart.

Herman Nisonoff was discharged from a hospital yesterday carrying a small, blue-and-gray box that was connected by wires to his heart.

The two-pound electronic device was his insurance against a signal blockade that otherwise would cause his heart to falter.

The electronic "pacemaker" is designed to take over when that blockade occurs.

Connected to Nisonoff's heart by a long wire that enters a vein in his neck, it pulses two or three volts of electricity to the heart every minute.

The pulses are too weak to have any effect when the heart is functioning normally, but they shock the heart back into action when it falters.

"The heart pacer delivers barely enough power to light a flashlight bulb," explained Dr Seymour Furman, resident surgeon of Montefiore Hospital. "But it's enough to keep a man alive."

### No Rush

Nisonoff left the hospital yesterday and returned to his home in the Bronx planning to get a leather shoulder holster for the life-saving device.

Mrs Nisonoff said today that her husband has been offered a holster that might fit.

If it doesn't, she said, he will order one.

But there's no rush. She said the heart pacer is only about the size of a transistor

radio and "not too much of a problem."

"He can put it in a sports jacket pocket and nobody would know the difference," she added.

Nisonoff's illness started 14 months ago. Mrs Nisonoff said it was a "nightmare."

He was often bedridden and could never tell when he might black out because of the faltering heartbeat.

"Thank God he's fine now," she said today.

Nisonoff said he hopes to go back to his work as a silverware salesman.

Dr Furman said it may be a little while before Nisonoff can become completely active again but he said he believed Nisonoff will be able to do 80 per cent of what any other man his age could undertake.—UPI.

### Jewels Found

Geneva, June 23. Jewels from a collection belonging to King Ibn Saud of Saudi Arabia reported as lost, were found today in the woods where the jeweller, transporting the precious stones by automobile, had stopped during his trip from Basle to Geneva.

The case which had contained the jewels was found about 50 yards away. Both items were discovered by different people.—AFP.

### BULLDOZER, GAS SUBDUE RIOTERS

Springfield, Miss., June 23.

Police and prison guards using a bulldozer, steel-cutting torches and tear gas today hacked their way into a prison hospital wing here in which rioting convicts had held five guards hostage for 14 hours.

The hostages were released as the assault began. The bulldozer crumpled a corner wall of the 100-foot long building used to house 106 prisoners; guards battered down a steel door on the other side and then two other groups also rushed in.

An hour after the assault began the authorities said that all the rebels were once more in custody.

The riot in the hospital began when inmates rounded up the five guards at knife-point and retreated into the wing, using cellars for barricades.—Reuter.

### Sir Gourmet (Of Vienna) Receives Honour



Place to go this summer if you want to have your highly cultured palate duly certified in Vienna, where 37 restaurants have got together in a scheme to provide diplomas in gourmandising.

It works like this.

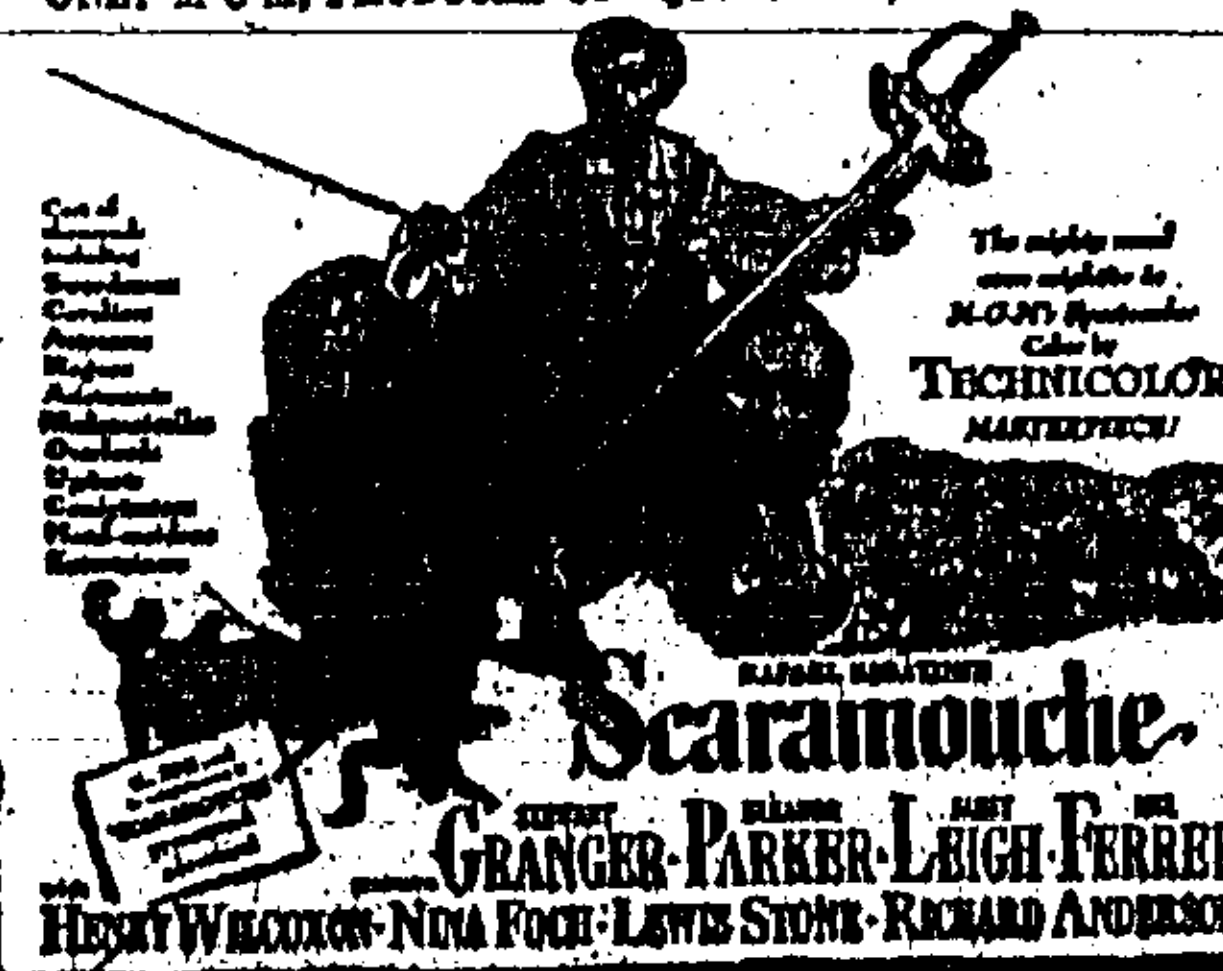
#### Seven Dishes

The chefs have sorted out a list of seven extra-special Viennese dishes; the first three you sample one you're given a card bearing their names; each one you eat (either altogether in one restaurant or separately in several) is marked off; when you've filled the card, you get a special diploma—and a tap on both shoulders from a chef's wooden spoon in the ceremony pictured here gives you the official title of "gourmet viennese."

But, unfortunately, no free food or privileges.—Express Photo.

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# Logan Gourlay

Who knows and tells in his own unmistakable way

IT was not what the hostesses call a blended party. The guests were not carefully selected to merge in the warmth of compatibility and the safety of social equality. Take a look at the names round the big round dinner table.

Mr and Mrs Isaac David Hillman, host and hostess (whose property company recently made them a profit of £10,000 in four days.)

Princess Djordjadj, formerly Lady Ashley, formerly Mrs Douglas Fairbanks sen., formerly Lady Stanley, formerly Mrs Clark Gable, formerly Sylvia Hewes.

The Maharajah and Maharani of Jaipur. Felix Fenston, prince of property deals, escorting Countess Ahlefeldt-Lauritz.

The Earl of Kimberley who is now in the publicity business. I was there too.

However, although we were a group of diverse elements, we had at least one shared experience. We had all been to the first night at the Fortune Theatre of "Detour After Dark."

I can best describe the play as a "Who-Cares-Whodunit." It obviously wouldn't provide the main subject of conversation.

Neither would money, which—with the exception of myself—was the one thing everyone had in common.

The subject turned out to be hunting. Various varieties of hunting.

## NO BEARS

Mr Fenston, who hunts all kinds of animals when he is not dealing in property, fired the first conversational volley. He talked about his recent trip to Canada.

"Unfortunately I went at the wrong time. Too early in the season for brown bears. If

I'd been able to stay another three weeks I would have got them. But I had to cut the trip short. So I didn't even sight a brown bear."

Bearded Mr Fenston, who looks a little like a domesticated baby bear, added:

"Still, I'm determined to go back. I'm sure it will be the most exciting hunting I've ever done."

## NO CATCH

The Countess Ahlefeldt-Lauritz, who is something of a crack shot, said that she too was determined to bag a bear. She said it with the fervour that most women reserve for the pursuit of milk.

But the Maharajah of Jaipur, who had been listening with the extreme attentiveness of the petite Indian, was unconvinced.

"In my opinion nothing can be more exciting and challenging than tiger-hunting in India,"

The Maharani nodded, her beautiful head in wifely agreement.

At this moment the hunt started for her diamond necklace which had fallen off her sari twice before during the evening. It was missing again. And it was very valuable, said the Maharajah.

The Maharani herself showed little concern. But then it is said her collection is so large that if she changed her jewellery every day for a year she wouldn't wear the same set twice.

When the brooch was found on the floor, the Earl of Kimberley said there must be something wrong with the safety catch. Mr Fenston examined it with a keen eye. He discovered there was no safety catch.

The Maharajah put the brooch in the pocket of his dinner suit. The Maharani shrugged.

Mr Hillman, the host, who has never been on a big game expedition, talked about hunting of another kind. "I'm interested in hunting for beauty."

He shot a glance at his wife, to whom he looks for advice in business, and to whom he gives credit for his success.

## THE SEARCH

He went on: "I mean the search for beauty in music and art. Of course I like to see beautiful women too, but my interest is aesthetic."

Not a word, notice, about the formal mathematical beauty of a balance sheet.

The Princess Djordjadj, looking like a youngish, attractive woman who hasn't lived long enough to marry five times, said to me:

"When I was married to Clark Gable, he was always going off on hunting trips. Ducks and things. I tried to show some interest, but I never cared much for it."

"Nowadays I don't care much for the social swim either. And all that celebrity hunting."

"You know I'd rather sit home and watch television."

"What could be better than relaxing in comfort at home with a nice bottle of wine on ice, watching a good programme on television. If you can find a good programme. That can be quite a hunt."

"I've turned down an invitation for tomorrow night so I can look in. I'm a fan of some of the regular shows." I tried to visualise her gazing rapily at "Double Your Money" and I just succeeded.

She added: "Pity it's too late tonight to go home and switch on."

The charming, and bloodless, party of hunters and huntresses was over. My only regret was that we hadn't been joined by two ladies who were dining in the same West End club.

They were Linda Christian and Eva Bartok, who are of course experienced huntresses.

I THOUGHT the man in frock coat and striped trousers standing at the coffee and hot-dog stall in Curzon Street was a customer, who had missed the food at the wedding reception.

He wasn't. He was the stall owner.

(London Express Service).

## A PILOT'S HAZARD IN THE SUN

A MAN sunbathing on a Brough, Yorks, airfield was nearly run over by a taxiing Chipmunk aeroplane. He was a worker at the Blackburn aircraft factory.

The pilot saw him just in time.

Blackburns have now told their workers: "It seems hardly fair on the pilot that he should be expected to watch out for prostrate bodies in the grass—pupils have enough on their minds without that."

"The solution is simple: Up-right or horizontal—keep off the airfield."

(London Express Service).

## KNOCK-OUT BLOW TO NOSE-BLOWING?

HAVE doctors finally chalked up their first significant score in the campaign against a malady which excites little sympathy but causes great discomfort to practically all of us at one time or another—the malady whose 'fancy-pants' name of Acute Coryza is translatable as the Common Cold?

Trivial ailment it may seem to be. Yet statistically it is one of the most important infections known to mankind because of the terrible economic penalties which most countries suffer on account of it. In the form of lost working-days and reduced productivity, as a result of the high incidence and the complications that frequently follow it.

That is why American researchers are excited over the possibility that they may at last be on the verge of conquering the Common Cold... or, at least, of combating it to a degree never before reached. They

believe they have devised a process that will be seventy per cent effective as a preventative—a process based on a monkey vaccine extracted from monkey cells.

## Thousands

Several thousand Americans have been injected with the vaccine, and will be kept under observation so that their reactions can be closely studied.

Meanwhile, on the east side of the Atlantic, British medical men are also employing numbers of volunteers in all-out efforts to pin the Common Cold in a corner and deal a knock-out blow to the virus that causes so many nose-blows.

At Harvard Hospital, Salisbury, these volunteers get free board and lodging for ten days, with three shillings a day pocket-money. In return they agree to abide by certain rules imposed by bacteriologists in an undertaking known as the British Common Cold Research Unit.

The volunteers may elect to live in pairs, or singly. None of them is very young or very old, for there is an age limitation. Pregnant women are not acceptable.

Married couples are welcome (though it would hardly seem to be the place for a honeymoon).

## All Walks

People from all walks of life go to Harvard Hospital to help the bacteriologists by exposing themselves to the possibility of contracting a test-tube cold. They live in converted wartime huts which are reasonably comfortable and adequately furnished, and some of them like it well enough to repeat the experience, though they have to wait at least six months before they may do so. One volunteer is said to have put in twelve 'encounters'.

The average number of volunteers at any one time is about twenty, but the Unit could cope with as many as thirty every fortnight. Six thousand have passed through it since it was instituted in 1946.

The volunteers are divided into "guinea-pigs" and controls. The guinea-pigs are inoculated,

but do not necessarily contract a cold.

The mystery of the Common Cold is one of the riddles which is tied up with many others, however. Elsewhere than in the USA and Britain—all over the world, in fact—scientists are probing into the whole question of acute respiratory diseases, some of which produce symptoms and conditions which can easily be mistaken for the Common Cold.

Already it is known that there is a big group of viruses which behave in the laboratory rather like influenza virus but do not cause ordinary influenza.

## A virus

Recently a virus was isolated from some children who were ill with colds and bronchitis. The question is whether this will turn out to be one of the keys to the puzzling origin of colds. It may prove important—but maybe not.

The field of medical research has become positively littered with false clues, and the Common Cold is but one of a large number of infections of the upper air passages.

If and when they do conquer the Common Cold, however, scientists will remove a disease which is the cause of more lost working days than any other illness.

# Why hush up the atom-sub fiasco?

AS the noon hooters echoed round the streets of Barrow-in-Furness recently, the noise of the riveters was suddenly hushed.

At the Vickers-Armstrongs shipyard Prince Philip walked on to a flag-hung platform. After a few deft words he touched a button and a huge steel hoop swung into a cradle in front of him.

While the bandmen solemnly boomed and the proud admirals stood to attention, the first section of the hull of the submarine Dreadnought was laid.

Who can blame the admirals for being proud?

Their Dreadnought will be no ordinary vessel. She will be atomic-powered. More effectively than an entire army, she could help to win or lose any future war.

For consider the fantastic strategic power of a single atom-powered submarine today.

IT CAN cruise almost endlessly on the enemy's doorstep without need to refuel or come up for air.

IT CAN operate at a speed and a depth which will make it almost undetectable and certainly indestructible.

IT CAN, unlike the missile bases on land, thus be immune against any attack designed to put it out of action in advance.

## Imagine...

What a military advantage that could represent. Imagine the beginning of another war.

Somewhere just above the deep bed of the ocean, a submarine will act on orders.

That submarine could be submerged in the sea off New York or off Archangel. One could even be waiting this moment at the bottom of the sea beyond the holiday-makers at Torquay.

The submarine will have its own electronic brain, slow with bearings on targets in the country on whose doorstep it waits.

It will also have a battery of missiles which are constantly fed with those bearings.

Now picture the terrible moment of war.

At the click of a switch, the covering ports in the submarine will swing open and the missiles will surge upwards through the surface of the sea in a hurricane of spray.

Above the fishermen or the bathers they will twist unerringly towards Pittsburgh or Moscow or London.

One broadside from a single submarine will unleash more destructive power than all the bombs and shells detonated over the whole world during the last war.

## A deterrent

Yet let us not shudder too much at the thought of those death-laden submarines lurking beyond the beaches.

Let us remember that they are designed not so much to win another war as to prevent it.

That policy is supported by the vast majority of the people who know, in their heart of hearts, that it is the mutual deterrent of the missiles that has kept the peace throughout the cold war.

And it is not merely the deterrent policy that the people support. They also believe, rightly, in the policy of the independent deterrent.

They do not want Britain to rely on the saving mercies of American generals.

They think it wiser for Britain to have her own deterrent. That is why we each help to pay out so many millions on the H-bomb. That is why the flags will be flying next Friday when Prince Philip lays the keel of the Dreadnought.

Can the rest of us, therefore, put out the flag? Can we murmur with relief because Britain at last has a major deterrent of her own?

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THEN IN JULY 1958 came the dramatic new bulletin about the Dreadnought. It was announced that negotiations had started to buy an American reactor for her.

An American reactor in Britain's independent deterrent? "Well—you might have said 'at least the rest of it will be British.'"

But you would have been wrong. The hull will now be American designed, too. The missiles will be American. Even the uranium fuel will have to be supplied from America.

## A QUESTION TO SILENCE THE BOASTERS AT THE RECENT ROYAL SEND-OFF

by ROBERT PITMAN

Unfortunately not.

So far I have shown the flags and the bunting. Now I investigate the shadows.

Let me relate the extraordinary history of the British atom-submarine.

It begins in 1952 when the Dreadnought project was first publicly mooted—only a year after the Americans had placed the contract for their atom-submarine Nautilus.

Now move forward three years to October 1955. Already by that time the American Nautilus had been in service for six months. What of Britain's submarine? It was not quite ready.

But Lord Mountbatten, then First Sea Lord—the man nursing the project—announced: "We are going ahead with plans for atom-powered submarines."

It is only a matter of time before we make these very important additions to the British Navy."

After those reassuring words 14 months went by. Then, in January 1957, Lord Mountbatten revealed the progress that had been made.

He declared: "We are now trying to think of an imaginative and dramatic name for this revolutionary vessel."

Instantly, the fancy of the nation was caught. On television an appeal was made to viewers to suggest a name for Lord Mountbatten's submarine.

The project went ahead so promisingly that on February 17, 1957, Lord Mountbatten himself appeared in full uniform on television. "Fitting his handsome profile thoughtfully from port to starboard he was shown actually sorting through the letters containing suggested names."

But what of the submarine itself?

IN MARCH 1957 the Financial Secretary to the Admiralty stated: "The project is well on the drawing board."

And so throughout 1957 excitement over the revolutionary submarine slowly mounted. It got its imaginative and dramatic name—Dreadnought; a name—Neptune—was even given to the British reactor which was designed to power it.

IN JUNE 1957 the Admiralty announced: "The project will be speeded up as a result of talks with American experts."

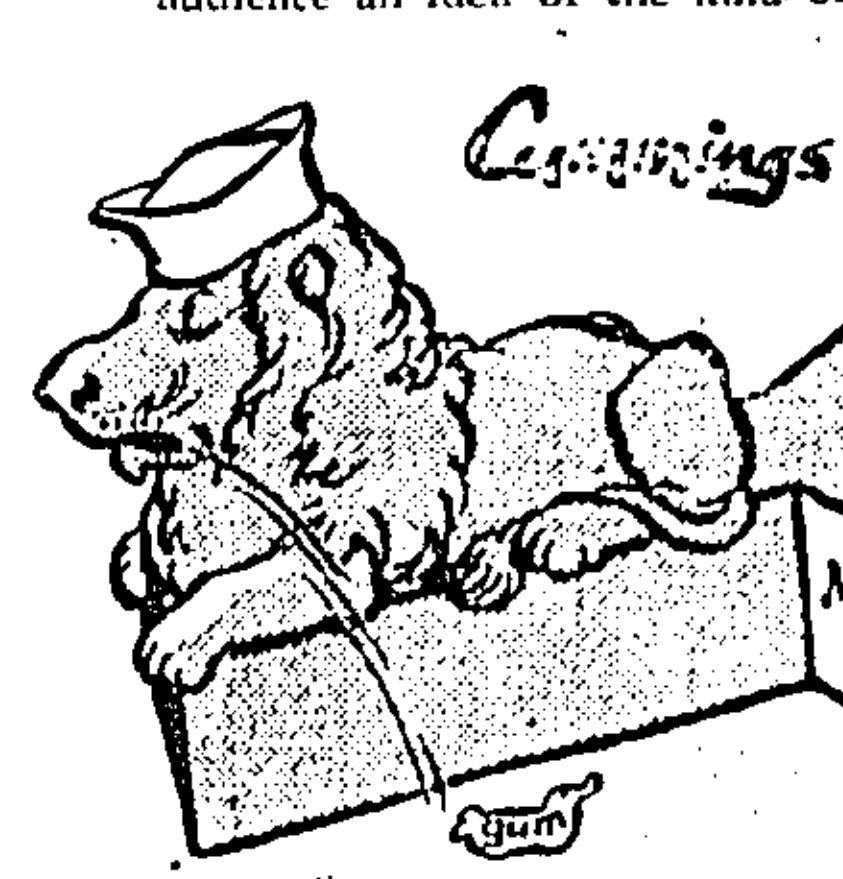
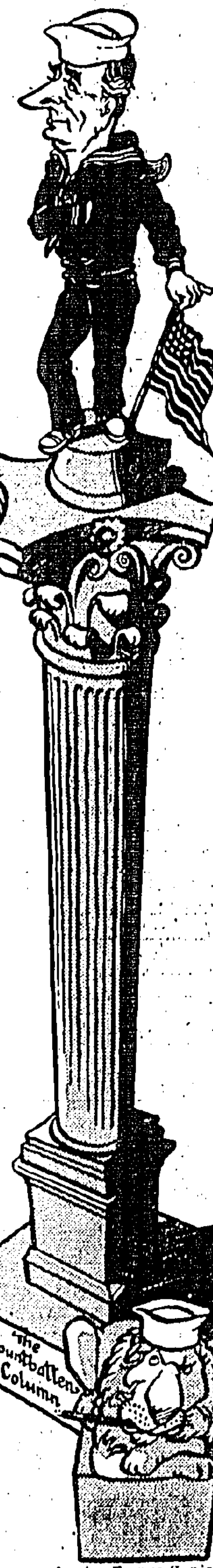
IN NOVEMBER 1957 we were told that Neptune, the reactor, was actually working. But Dreadnought? We were well into 1958 before much more was heard about her.

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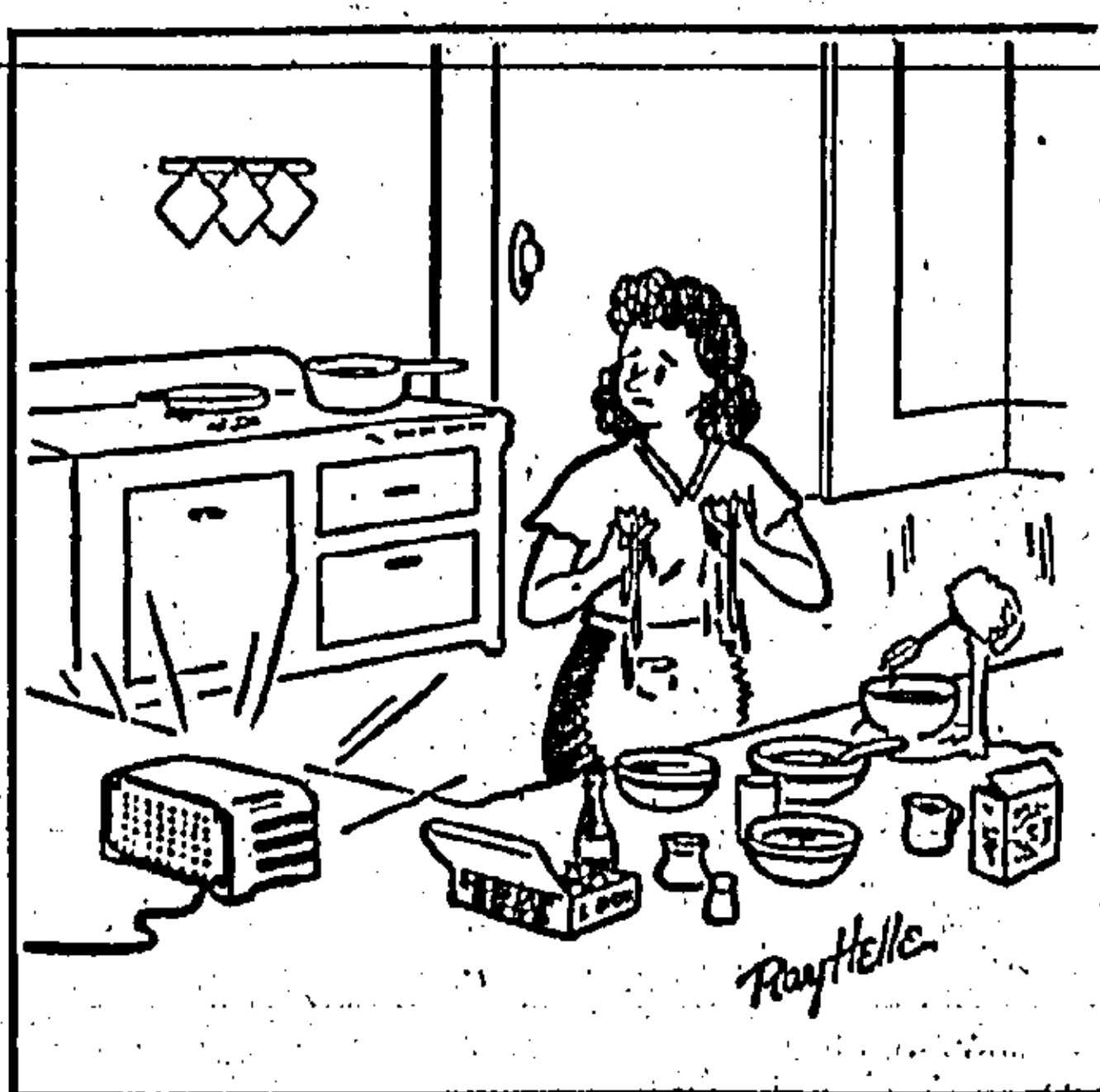


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# WOMANSENSE

## An English View Of Japan

YOUR BIRTHDAY... By STELLA

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24

**B**ORN today, you have a vital, a little more diplomacy when you are selling your point of view to clever and attractive, have a good social presence and are a fine conversationalist. Since you have splendid practical common sense, you should also be able to make money. Whether or not you will manage to keep any of it is quite another question. Outgoing and overgenerous, you are usually the type to pick up the tab when with a group out on the town. Then there are other times when you will pinch a penny. If you can learn to be a little more methodical in your business management and your method of saving, you will have fewer financial crises.

You have an obstinate streak in your nature. You want what you want, exactly when you want it. You can fly into quite an unpleasant temper, too, if you don't get it. But you are sincere in your convictions—and many times you are quite right. You would be wise to cultivate

THURSDAY, JUNE 25

**CANCER** (June 22-July 23)—Events some distance away may call for your attention. Be prepared to act decisively on personal affairs.

**LEO** (July 24-Aug. 23)—Co-operative business matters, with finances involving others, may need careful handling now.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—Have confidence in yourself despite an undercurrent of uncertainty. Attend closely to duty.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 23)—A fine day for all regular routine. You can accomplish a lot, but avoid risk-taking.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 23-Dec. 22)—Balance of the month offers exceptional opportunities, but be sure of all the facts.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 23-Jan. 20)—Fortune smiles if you hold to regular routine. Don't attempt any experimentation.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 21-Feb. 19)—The business outlook is exciting, but be positive that facts are basically sound.

**PISCES** (Feb. 20-Mar. 20)—Should be your best day of the month to act decisively. Just make sure of your position.

**ARIES** (Mar. 21-Apr. 20)—Contrasting elements, both good and bad, appear, so make sure of facts before acting on anything.

**TAURUS** (Apr. 21-May 21)—Take a calculated risk and you may win an important advantage. Look carefully before you leap, however.

**GEMINI** (May 22-June 21)—This may be a very busy day and you may need to play everything carefully to get it all done.

ANNE SCOTT-JAMES from TOKYO

**I** AM sitting on the floor at a midgeot table with my 36-inch legs sticking out in front of me and a morsel of raw fish poised between my chopsticks. A girl in a flowered kimono is pouring me a thimble of sake. Two Japanese gentlemen are squinting either side of me, and we are watching "I Love Lucy" on a television set without legs.

Kipling was wrong about East and West. They have met and married in Japan.

I came to Tokyo because I think the Orient is becoming a huge new influence on your life and mine.

The open plan house. All those indoor plants. Low furniture. Doe eyes. Garden rooms. Silk shirts over tight trousers. Flower-arranging clubs. Fried rice. The new soft prints. The new wide sashes. Where do they spring from? From China and Japan.

Every big designer who has come here (and they're pouring over) has swooned at the beauty of Japan, and gone home to use it in his own Western way.

I wanted to see what we're in for.

girl preferred—and thereafter treats her like dirt. She walks on him like a mallet, walks behind him in the street. And she has to put up with the competition of the geisha house, to which Japanese gentlemen repair after the office. (Geisha evenings are usually charged up to expense accounts.)

He never takes his wife out with him, they never go to a party, and he never buys her a present. If he is the eldest son, his wife will have to live with her mother-in-law, who is usually a dreaded old battleaxe who bullies the bride.

However, it is silly to judge Eastern relationships by Western standards, and I think Japanese women are fairly content.

I don't believe these flutters, giggly little creatures are waiting to burst the bonds. Tho

Even to women accustomed to the rigours of English marriage, the Japanese husband seems the worst in the world.

For no reason clear to the Western eye, the Japanese gentleman considers himself the Lord of Creation.

He finds a wife through a matchmaker—docile character, early riser, good dowry, country



The Japanese dress that's all over Britain now.

the tiger lilies grow wild. And I've seen brilliant modern versions by American architects. Outside, the Japanese house is just a matchbox, a wooden frame filled in with solid or sliding panels.

But inside, even a cottage is charming—simple, light, airy, immaculately clean.

It is made of natural materials—wood, grass, mud, bamboo, rice-paper, in soft colours.

It is sectioned off by sliding walls. It has no chairs, a little low furniture, a few cherished objects of beauty. It opens with sliding paper windows on to a small, exquisite garden—house and garden melt into one.

Of course, a pure Japanese house in England would be a joke. Who wants to sleep on the floor?

But Western architects translate this way: sliding walls of wood, not paper; woven grass wallpaper on the walls, fibre glass instead of rice-paper, nylon matting, comfortable low furniture, chrysanthemum lamps.

Other important ideas...

Every parcel is a work of art. I bought a box of sweets for some children. They were in the shapes of white fish, green leaves, and blue ripples of water arranged with pieces of fresh willow in a woven box.

This attention to beauty, which you find throughout Japan, is an inspiration and a joy.

The gardens—these are mostly tiny, a lesson for the suburban gardener.

Even a pocket handkerchief of ground is a landscape, achieved by pools, stepping stones, plants, and shrubs arranged with great attention to form, and brought right up to the windows of the house.

The larger gardens are masterpieces, with seats and pavilions

placed for contemplation of the view.

● The "tempura" food. You sit at a low bar while delicious morsels of prawns, fish, beans, egg plant, and so on are dipped in batter and deep-fried right in front of you. (Idea, here, for a teenage party?)

● The indoor flowers. My own future plan is to stick to my beloved squashy bunches of cabbage roses in the summer, when flowers are cheap, and to try the formal Japanese vases—perhaps five blooms arranged "spiritually"—in the winter, when flowers are dear.

Talk about attention to detail... flower arranging courses here can last 10 years.

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**H**ER Imperial Highness Princess Suga, daughter of the Emperor Hirohito, 124th emperor of his dynasty, was kind enough to give me an unprecedented interview.

Princess Suga is the Princess Margaret of Japan.

Gay, pretty, 20, fond of dancing, jazz records and musicals, a good skier and tennis player, she seems a natural leader of the young, Americanised Japan.

But I don't believe the young, Americanised Japan really exists. The American veneer is only chewing-gum deep. Princess Suga is as Oriental as the first emperor's daughter centuries ago.

She has just announced her engagement to a son of one of the oldest families in Japan, and I asked her about her present life and her marriage plans.

Here's her life now:—

"I love sports and dancing," she told me, "especially the tango. I dance with my brother, the Crown Prince. We both collect records, and swap with each other. I have a craze for Hawaiian music."

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## Reflecting The Sari



Mrs Mavis Bartlett appears in a white and gold sari gown made and given by Harilela in aid of YWCA charities, at the International Show on Thursday afternoon.

The show which combines dresses for air travel and the London season will be held in the Paramount Ballroom, Windsor House at 3.30 and 5.30 p.m.

## JACOBY on BRIDGE

It usually pays to compete in bridge and the so-called light third hand opening is one of the more popular means of competition, but it should not be used with a balanced hand with honours in all suits.

South had just such a hand and should have passed. If he had West would have opened the bidding and East and West might have stopped at one no-trump or two spades in which case they could have shown a small profit or they might have bid themselves a trifle higher and shown a loss.

However, South did open with one diamond in third seat and after West doubled North decided to compete with a jump to three. This gave East quite

NORTH (D) 13	
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♥ 10	♦ 54
♠ 864	♦ 864
WEST	
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♦ A Q 7	♠ 9 8 3
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♠ A 10 5 3	♠ Q 7
SOUTH	
♠ Q 5	♥ 10 5 2
♦ 10 5 2	♠ K J 10 8
♠ K J 2	♠ K J 2
No one vulnerable	
North East South West	Pass Pass 1 4
3 ♦ Double Pass Pass	Pass
Opening lead—♦ 2	

## HEARTS & SPADES

Q—The bidding has been:

North East South West  
1 ♦ Pass 2 ♦ Pass  
4 ♦ Pass 7

Q—You, South, hold:

♠ A 2 ♥ K 5 4 ♦ A Q 9 8 7 ♣ J 5 4

What do you do?

A—A slam is clearly in the air and you should bid four no-trump to ask for ace.

TODAY'S QUESTION

Your partner bids five diamonds to show one ace. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow

## SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"I want to see how loud it'll ring. The kids are sometimes a block away when dinner's ready!"

## CHILDREN'S CORNER

### A Stranger In The Night

—A Butterfly Spends The Night In The Playroom—

By MAX TRELL

**E**VERYONE in the house had gone to bed. Knarf and Hand and Mr Punch and his wife Judy were making themselves comfortable in the corner of the playroom, for Mr Punch was just about to tell them all a story.

All at once they saw something come fluttering in through the open window.

**Shaking With Cold**

Although it was a warm night, the stranger stood shivering and shaking with cold. It had long white wings.

It was a Butterfly.

Knarf and Hand went over to it at once.

Mrs Judy quickly grabbed a shawl and ran over and placed it around the shivering Butterfly.

"I'm so cold, so very cold," the Butterfly chattered.

**Warm Spot**

"Come over here!" Mr Punch invited it cheerfully. "This is a nice warm spot."

"Thank you," said the Butterfly, as it came over to Mr Punch and pressed itself close to his knee.

Hand and Mrs Judy shut the windows. Knarf ran off to see if he could find some warm milk.

"Will anyone mind if I stay here for a little while—just long enough to get warm?" the Butterfly asked.

**Won't Mind**

"Stay here as long as you like," Hand said to her. "No one will mind at all."

"Oh, this is so very nice," the Butterfly said.

"You have no coat on," said Mr Punch.

"Yes," said Knarf. "How do you expect to keep warm without a coat?"

"You ought to have a sweater," said Hand.

"You can keep this shawl," said Mrs Judy. "You can keep it wrapped around you."

**Only Moths**

"Now what I think," said Mr Punch, "is that Butterflies shouldn't go flying around at night."

"Only Moths fly at night, dear," said Hand. "Didn't you know that?"

The Butterfly explained that it had lost its way.

"I meant to get home before dark," it said. "I live at the bottom of a gooseberry bush at the end of the garden. But it got so dark that I couldn't even find the garden, let alone the gooseberry bush."

Knarf and Hand and Mr Punch and Mrs Judy all told the Butterfly that it was welcome to spend the night with them.

**Would Be Lovely**

"Oh, that would be lovely!" said the Butterfly. "Will the people who live in this house mind?"

"I won't make a sound. I won't disturb anyone. I'll just sleep and sleep until the morning comes and then I'll fly away."

Hand made a bed for the Butterfly behind the drapes that hung between the side of the window and the end of the bookcase. It was dark and snug and warm in there.

She opened the window a little.

**They Whispered**

"It's much better than the gooseberry bush," the Butterfly said. "Oh dear, I'm so, so—oh, oh, sleep, sleep!"

But there, out in the garden, in the beautiful sunshine, a white Butterfly with long well-lit wings was fluttering from flower to flower. It didn't look the least bit cold and it seemed, as it fluttered past the window, to be waving to them.

"Good morning!" it appeared to say. "Thank you for a good night's rest!"

**Rupert and the Truant—41**



Rupert, keen on time in telling the angry little postman that he had nothing to do with the dolls' escapade. "It was standing in the toyshop when I first saw it," he declares. "Then I found it out here and this is the label it should be wearing. We've been

trying to follow what it says but it won't go to Rupert. Eh? What? 'Twas the little postman. You've found the label? Why, that solves everything. Wait a minute. And he dashes away down the hill towards the toy plane.

## Whiteaways

## Baby Week

## AND EVERYTHING FOR CHILDREN

Children's Cotton Bonnets. Originally \$3.50. THIS WEEK \$2.20.	Jantzen Rompers. Originally \$18.50. THIS WEEK \$10.00.
Jantzen "Sea Horse" Rompers. Originally \$23.50. THIS WEEK \$14.75.	Girls Jantzen Swimsuits. Originally \$23.50. THIS WEEK \$13.50.
Junior Miss Zipper Jackets. Originally \$29.50. THIS WEEK \$15.00.	Maids Cotton Jeans. Originally \$13.50. THIS WEEK \$7.00.

## SIMILAR "SPECIALS" AT KOWLOON & MAN YEE

Children's Wincoyette Nighties. Originally \$10.50. THIS WEEK \$6.20.	Children's Plastic Raincoat. Limited quantity. Originally \$5.00. THIS WEEK \$3.25.
Girls' School Knickers, brown. Originally \$5.50. THIS WEEK \$3.00.	Children's Straw Hats. Originally \$5.00. THIS WEEK \$4.95.
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Boys' Aertex Harrow Shirts. Originally \$18.05. THIS WEEK \$12.50.	Children's Duffle Coats. GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.
Aertex Check Shirts for boys. Originally \$13.50. THIS WEEK \$9.20.	Teenage Girls' Coats, sizes 11, 12, 13. MUCH REDUCED.
Girls' Aertex Houses. Originally \$13.50. THIS WEEK \$9.20.	

## Whiteaways WILL SERVE YOU BEST



# WIMBLEDON FAVOURITES 'Honey Bun' Packs A Punch In Both Fists

By JOHN COTTRELL

A tennis player without a backhand stroke is the outstanding American challenger for the Wimbledon ladies' singles title which has been monopolised by the United States for the past 21 years.

She is petite, pig-tailed and pixie-faced Beverly Joyce Baker Fleitz, a glamorous mother of two children, who was Wimbledon beauty queen of 1951 and Wimbledon finalist of 1955.

Mrs Fleitz is ambidextrous, a hard-hitting baseliner who has turned her lack of a backhand into a tactical advantage by developing a powerful right-handed and left-handed forehand.

This ability to slam forehand winners on both sides has kept her in the forefront of women's tennis for eleven years. In 1954 it enabled her to crush world champion Maureen Connolly 6-0, 6-1. Last year it brought her victory over the reigning Wimbledon champion Althea Gibson.

## Her Difficulty

Yet bustling Bev has never captured one of the four major singles titles—of Wimbledon, Forest Hills, Paris and Rome. She has all the attributes of a champion, but her tennis career has been too often interrupted at a critical stage.

Her difficulty has been to reconcile all the year-round tennis with married life. Her first marriage, in 1949, was to Scotty Beckett, well-known for his film-acting as a child. They

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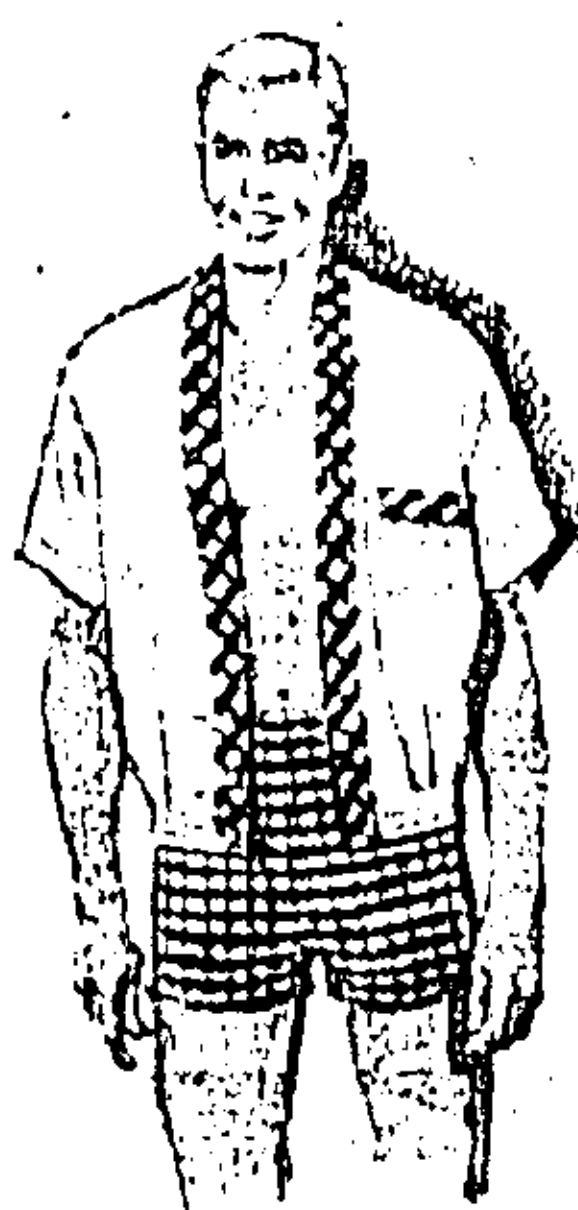
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The Stewards have ordered a batch of 120 Australian Subscription Pontes to race in 1960 and they now invite Members to subscribe for them.

Application forms may be obtained from the Secretary's Office, Alexandra House, 8th Floor.

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were both 19 and their marriage lasted just four months and 13 days.

Since 1951, Beverly has been married to Johnny Fleitz, a former baseball star. A brilliant future was predicted for this popular Californian couple in 1951 when she reached the semi-finals on her Wimbledon debut. But she played scarcely any first-class tennis during the next two years.

In 1952 she lost her first baby, prematurely born. The following year she had a daughter named Kimberly Irene ("Because she is a diamond to us"). It was tough getting back to the top. Yet in 1954 Beverly was elected No. 3 in the United States—her highest place in the national rankings. The following year she was third seed at Wimbledon and reached the final.

**Fates Against Her**  
Again Mrs Fleitz was tipped as a champion of the future. Again the fates were against her. In 1956 she reached the Wimbledon quarter-finals with the virtual certainty of a place in the final. But she had to scratch—after discovering that she was expecting another baby.

"It was just like reaching for candy at the top of the tree and just not quite getting there," she remarked. There followed another long lay-off from tennis. Early in 1957, her second daughter, Julie Ann, was born and for nearly two years Bev was fully occupied with her duties as a mother. Her playing days were said to be over.

But Mrs Fleitz could not resist the temptation to make one last bid for the highest honours in the game. In 1958, at a sprightly 28, she set out on the come-back trail.

That year she achieved wins over world champion Althea Gibson and such leading players as Maria Bueno, Darlene Hard, Margaret du Pont and Janet Hopps. She finished with No. 2 status in the national rankings.

Can Mrs Fleitz now break that Wimbledon hoodoo and capture Miss Gibson's undented title?

History is against her. A married woman has not won the Wimbledon title since 1938 (Mrs Helen Wills Moody). And a mother has not captured the title for 45 years, the last being Mrs Dorothea Lambert Chambers, who won it for Britain seven times.

**'Killer' Instinct**  
On the other hand, Bev, at her best, is by far the manager of the American challengers. And since the war the United States has provided 24 of the 20 Wimbledon ladies' singles finalists. The two "intruders"—Angela Buxton and Angela Mortimer of Great Britain—were both well beaten in the finals.

Mrs Fleitz has already proved that she has the consistency and "killer" instinct that go to make a Wimbledon champion. In 1955 she slamed former champion and top-seeded Doris Hart 6-3, 6-0, and reached the Wimbledon final without conceding a set. Then she lost

after a close-fought all-American battle against Louise Brough.

Miss Brough has previously won the title three times running. But Mrs Fleitz barked the ball from corner to corner, running her opponent almost to a standstill. She led 4-3 and 5-4 in the first set.

But she failed in her title bid because she lacked the tactical knowledge of her seasoned opponent. Brough varied her length and spin at every opportunity and took the first set 7-5.

## Limitations

In the second set, "Broughie" came within a point of leading 5-2. Then fighting Fleitz retaliated with chalk-raising drives that gave her a 5-4 lead. Again Brough exploited her opponent's limitations at the net and won this centre court thriller 7-5, 8-6.

Beverly is a better tactician now. She still lacks overhead and volleying power and she is still suspect against the short low ball. But that two-sided forehand remains a potential match-winner.

It gives her an immediate advantage. Waiting for the service, she keeps both hands on her racket; then decides which to use. The method increases her reach and enables her to disguise direction.

"I was born ambidextrous," she explains. "But I tried hard to cultivate a backhand shot with my right hand when I began to play tennis as a small child."

"I looked so awkward that my father told me to stop trying to play such an unnatural shot. So I used my left hand and—ever since I've never given a backhand shot a thought."

Beverly, born at Providence, Rhode Island, was 11 years old when she began training to become a champion. Her English-born father, Director of Recreation at Santa Monica, California, gave her her first tennis lesson and saw her develop rapidly into the most powerful baseliner in American tennis. She won the U.S. Junior Championship and by the age of 18 was placed fifth in the national rankings.

**Ballyhoo Girl**  
Mrs Fleitz became internationally famous in 1951. She was then the ballyhoo girl of tennis and the most photographed player of the year—the successor in frills and fur-bellows of 1950's "Gorgeous Gussie" Moran.

Wimbledon fans loved this slim, attractive brunette, with the legs of a ballerina and two short pig-tails framing a plump, freckled face. She wore becoming nylon costumes or sensationally brief shorts, yet was completely unselfish, lithe and charming on court.

They called her "Honey Bun." That Wimbledon debut was notable in other ways. For the immaculate Bev showed that her tennis was almost as attractive as her figure.

She lost to Doris Hart—when she went on to become champion—in the semi-finals. But before that she beat the 1950 runner-up, Margaret du Pont, and an unknown girl—Althea Gibson, now the champion she aims to succeed at Wimbledon.

## Glad To Do It

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# Ladies' Day At Wimbledon



Mrs Beverly Fleitz came nearest to winning the Wimbledon ladies' singles title in 1955 when she lost narrowly to Miss Louise Brough in two hard-fought sets 7-5, 8-6.

Photo shows Mrs Fleitz (left) with Miss Louise Brough after the presentation of the prize for that match.



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## Wimbledon Rebels Win Free For All

The revolt by British tennis players against the Wimbledon management committee ended in victory for the players.

This year they will enjoy privileges equal to those given to overseas competitors. They have won free car parking, free lunches and teas during the Wimbledon fortnight and one complimentary guest ticket a day.

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## ENGLISH COUNTY CRICKET Colin McCool Bowls Somerset To Innings Victory Over Kent

London, June 23.  
Former Australian Test all-rounder Colin McCool captured seven Kent wickets for 39 runs with his leg-breaks at Taunton today to give Somerset victory by an innings and 85 runs. Arthur Pheby the acting captain scored 77 not out in Kent's second innings when they followed on 258 behind.

Although he opened, Pheby did not carry his bat through the innings as a knee injury forced him to retire for 30 minutes when 18.

Lancashire needed only four runs in their second innings against Surrey at Manchester and duly won by 10 wickets.

Dave Fletcher who batted nearly three hours for 42 led Surrey's rear-guard action but Bob Barber's spinners—four for 48 in 10 overs—proved too much for the other batsmen.

**Derbyshire At Top**  
Derbyshire moved to the top of the County Championship table with 84 points by beating Nottinghamshire at Trent Bridge by four wickets. Left to get 140 in 40 minutes to win, Derbyshire were seen home by a sound 50 by Charles Lee and 59 not out by skipper Donald Carr.

Glamorgan is in second place having obtained 80 points and Essex the previous leaders are now third with 84 points. These two sides could only draw at Cardiff where spin restricted play to two hours.

Norman Hornor, 33-year-old Warwickshire opener, hit 20 fours in an innings of 173 which took him three and three-quarter hours to lead his side to a six wickets win over Middlesex at Edgbaston.

**A Draw**  
Colin Ingleby-Mackenzie, the Hampshire captain, was more restrained than usual when taking three hours 40 minutes over 127 against Worcestershire at Portsmouth. He hit 18 fours and was mainly responsible for Hampshire drawing the game after looking in danger of defeat.—Reuter.

## Patterson 4-1 Favourite

New York, June 23.  
Heavyweight champion Floyd Patterson became 4-1 favourite tonight to beat Ingemar Johansson in Thursday's title fight when the odds rose half a point.

"Heavy support for the champion and lack of money for Johansson caused the rise," a Broadway sportsman explained.

Meanwhile, promoter Bill Rosenzweig said at a press luncheon that the advance sale had hit \$450,000 and that he expected the gate at Yankee Stadium to exceed \$600,000.

**THE POLL**  
A United Press International poll of 64 sportswriters at the luncheon showed 52 picking Patterson to beat the Swedish challenger and 12 favouring Ingemar. Fifteen Swedish writers in the poll were almost split. Eight picked Ingemar, seven Patterson.

Patterson, who crushed his sparring yesterday and tapered off with four miles on the road this morning, motored to New York from his camp at Chatham, New Jersey, and appeared briefly at the Commission Office. He returned to camp late today.—UPI.

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**Results**  
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Results of today's matches were:

## WOMEN'S SINGLES

### First Round

Miss M. Hamill (South Africa) beat Mrs V. Roberts (Britain) 5-0, 6-4, 6-1.

Miss D. Gundersen (U.S.) beat Miss J. Gencic (Yugoslavia) 3-1 (abandoned).

Miss M. Dittmeyer (Germany) beat Miss R. Carter (Australia) 6-2, 6-3.

Miss A. Haydon (Britain) (eighth seed) beat Miss D. Thomas (Australia) 6-1, 6-0.

Mrs S. Romano (Australia) beat Grinda 6-1, 6-0.

Miss D. Hard (U.S.) (fourth seed) beat Miss U. Hultkrantz (Sweden) 6-2, 6-0.

Mrs J. Beverly Fleitz (U.S.) (second seed) beat Miss R. Schuurman (South Africa) 6-4, 6-1.

Miss P. Barri (Spain) beat Miss M. Green (Britain) 6-3, 6-2.

Miss R. Oatway (Germany) beat Miss J. Wagstaff (Britain) 6-3, 6-3.

Miss C. Mercedis (Belgium) beat Miss L. Grady (Britain) 6-1, 6-0.

Mrs A. Thomas (Britain) beat Miss L. Lindor (Britain) 6-4, 6-1.

Miss A. Dmitrova (Soviet Union) beat Miss P. Wheeler (Britain) 6-2, 6-1.

Miss M. March (Australia) beat Miss G. Thomas (U.S.) 6-2, 6-0.

Miss G. Bunting (Germany) beat Miss S. Jannish (Britain) 6-2, 6-4.

Mrs J. Laurence (Germany) (top seed) beat Miss S. Waters (Britain) 6-3, 7-5.

**Second Round**  
Miss P. Courtier (France) beat Miss P. Stewart (U.S.) 7-5, 6-2.

Miss R. Reyes (Mexico) beat Miss E. Arath (U.S.) 6-3, 6-2.

Miss V. Fucsovics (Czechoslovakia) beat Miss M. Hellyer (Australia) 6-1, 6-2.

Miss J. Hoppe (U.S.) beat Miss J. Cross (South Africa) 6-2, 6-1.

Miss L. Armstrong (Britain) beat Mrs D. Byrne (Ireland) 6-2, 6-2.

Miss V. Ramirez (Mexico) beat Miss C. Yates Bell (Australia) 6-2, 6-1.

Miss P. Bird (Britain) beat Mrs R. Shelton (Britain) 6-2, 6-4.

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**MEN'S DOUBLES**  
First Round  
G. Mulloy and B. Pally (U.S.) (Australia) 6-2, 6-4, 6-1.

G. Forbes and A. Segal (South Africa) beat W. Maria and J. Van De Weg (Holland) 6-4, 6-4, 6-3.

J. Becker (Britain) and K. Howe (Australia) beat J. Lundqvist and U. Schmidt (Sweden) 2-0, 2-0, 6-0, 6-2.

J. Molinari and J. Grinda (France) beat S. Davidson and B. Stockenberg (Sweden) 6-1, 6-0, 6-4.

R. Emerson and N. Fraser (Australia) beat W. Godecke and W. Knecht (Poland) 6-2, 6-4.

P. Moys and J. Ward (Britain) beat G. Hinton and J. Ward (Britain) 6-1, 6-2, 6-3.

W. Knight and J. Picard (France) beat J. P. Bess (Belgium) and J. Hamill (South Africa) 7-5, 6-2, 6-2.

Wilson and M. Davies (Britain) beat J. Brichard (Belgium) and A. Jannet (Australia) 7-5, 6-7, 6-4.

L. Lammiman and T. Ulfick (Denmark) beat J. Frost and W. Woodcock (Australia) 6-4, 6-2, 6-3, 6-1.

J. Ormrod (Peru) and B. Mackay (U.S.) beat G. Gyles (Hungary) and J. Jannet (Czechoslovakia) 7-5, 3-0, 6-4, 6-4.

N. Pietrangeli and G. Sholt (Italy) (second seeds) beat M. Hahn and J. Warwick (Britain) 6-4, 7-5, 6-4.

J. Vermaak and R. Weldon (South Africa) beat J. Lundqvist and G. Owen (Britain) 4-6, 11-9, 6-3, 6-2.—A.P.

## Flying Start

Britain's Angela Mortimer, runner-up to American Negress Althea Gibson last year, got off to a flying start. With a machine-like performance on the centre court, she won 6-0, 6-0 against Mrs. Marie Weiss of Spain, to reach the third round.

Trim little Mrs Weiss, former Argentine star now domiciled in Spain, is no mean performer in international tennis, but she was powerless in her efforts to stem the flow of penetrating, accurate drives from the tall English girl. She even tried a couple of underhand serves but lost them both.

Miss Mortimer, beaten only once since last year's final, won in 28 minutes and conceded only four points in the first five games, one of them being a double fault.

She is seeded No. 2 behind Britain's top star, Christine Truman.

Miss Gibson, now in temporary retirement from competitive tennis, was among the spectators.

## Glamorous Attire

Brazilian champion Maria Esther Bueno the only girl to beat Miss Mortimer during the past 12 months, proved it possible to combine masculine tennis with glamorous attire.

The sallow-skinned girl from Sao Paulo wore a Broderie Anglaise dress but there was nothing frilly about her stinging serves and volleys which took her to a 6-1, 6-3 win in the first round against Pauline Edwards, British cross-country running champion.

First physical casualty of the championships was Miss J. Gencic, Yugoslavia's leading woman player, who was taken to hospital with a suspected broken ankle sustained in the fifth game of her singles match against Miss B. Gundersen, of the United States.

## A Fright

Third-seeded Mrs Beverly Fleitz, American runner-up here in 1955, was given a fright on the centre court in her first round match against South African Gussie Schuurman.

The ambidextrous Californian, who relies on powerful driving from the back-court, won 2-0, 6-4, 6-4. The South African bruntel, carrying a weighty net attack, got within a point of a 4-1 lead on Mrs Fleitz's service in the deciding set. Had she clinched that vital point the result might easily have gone the other way.

Every available inch of space around the No. 2 show court was packed when late in the day Miss Truman opened her Wimbledon bid.

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## Chess News

by LEONARD BARDEN

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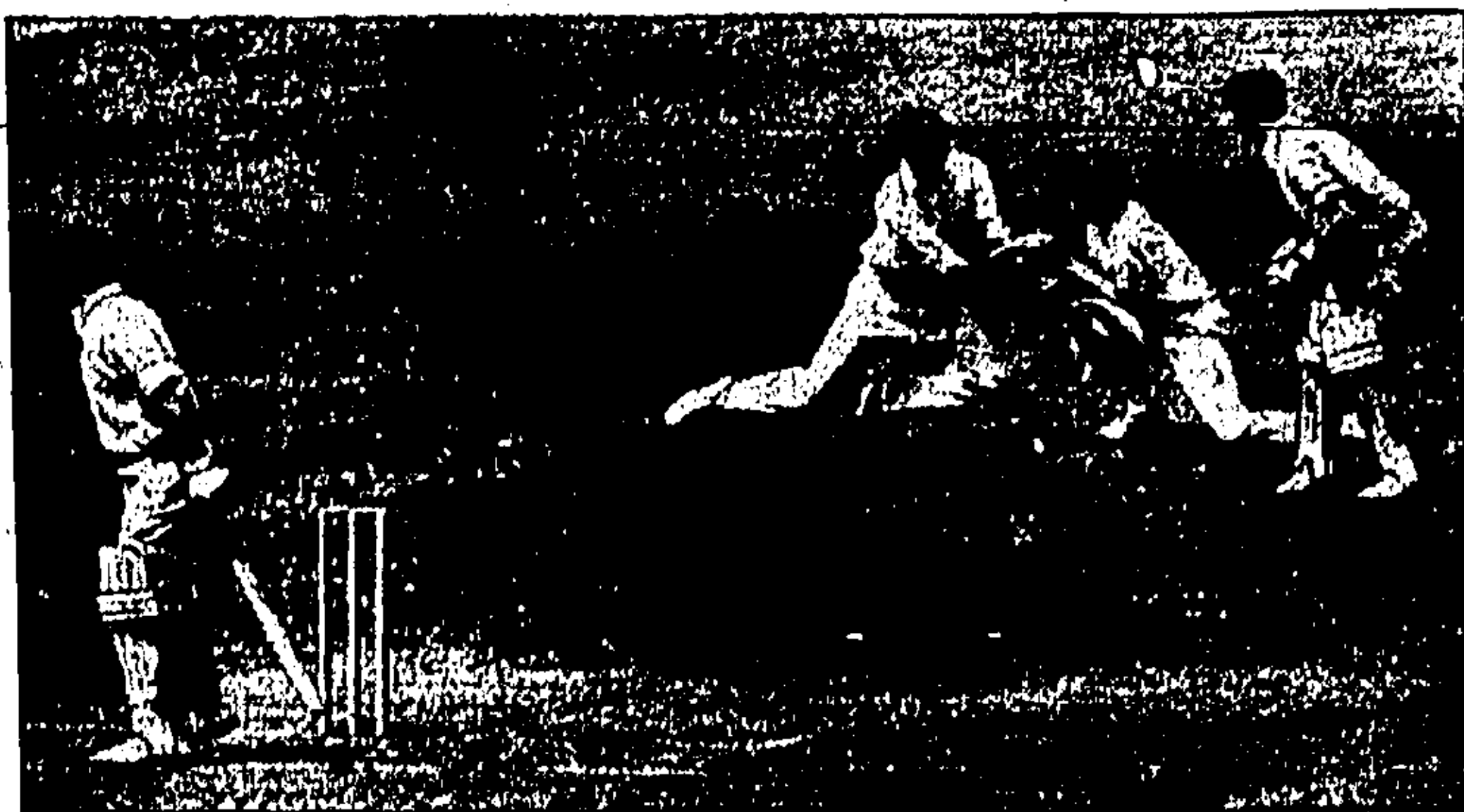
ABOVE: Once again the Ascot Gold Cup ended in a thrilling finish last week. Halfway up the straight, the British horse, Alcide, was out in front and going like the wind. Twenty-five yards from the post Alcide changed his legs, which caused his downfall. The French champion, Wallaby II stuck out his nose to win by a few inches.

Photo shows Wallaby II (right) inching in front of Alcide as they pass the post.



LEFT: Britain's new marathon hope for the Olympics — 31-year-old Denis O'Gorman with the trophy which he won last week for the annual marathon from Windsor Castle to Chiswick.

The 5 ft. 3 in. Irishman, an aircraft fitter, out-classed a field of 200 in his first marathon and put himself on the short British list for the Rome Games next year.



Four Yorkshire hands in action, but Surrey batsman Ken Barrington watches as they fumble a chance off the bowling of Trueman. Barrington went on to score 81 and build a long stand with John Edrich at the Oval last week to enable Surrey to declare their first innings at 277 for nine wickets. Surrey won the match by 86 runs.



ABOVE: Mr. V. Rees (left), of the Kowloon Chess Club, presenting Mr. B. C. Field with a memento from Colony chess players in appreciation of his services to Colony chess. At extreme right is Mrs. K. Barnett, who distributed the prizes at the annual dinner of the Club at the Peninsula Hotel last week. —China Mail Photo.



RIGHT: India's young Davis Cup player Ramanathan Krishnan scored one of the greatest successes in his tennis career when he won the London lawn tennis men's singles championship title at Queen's Club last week. After defeating Kurt Nielsen, Krishnan went on to beat Alex Olmedo 8-6, 6-1 in the semi-final and Neale Fraser 6-3, 6-0 in the final.

Photo shows Krishnan in action.

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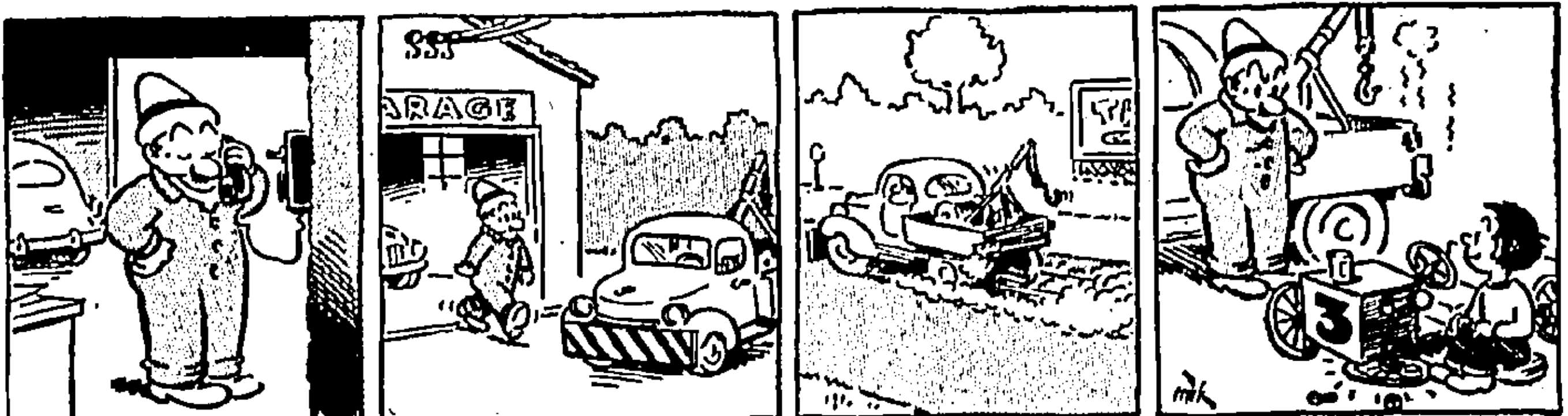
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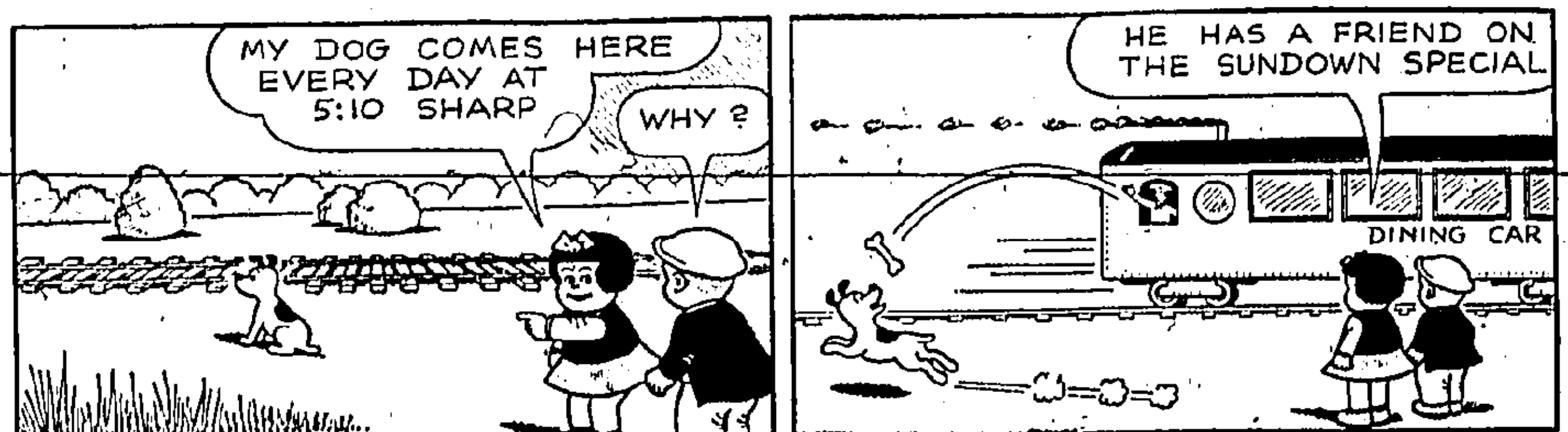
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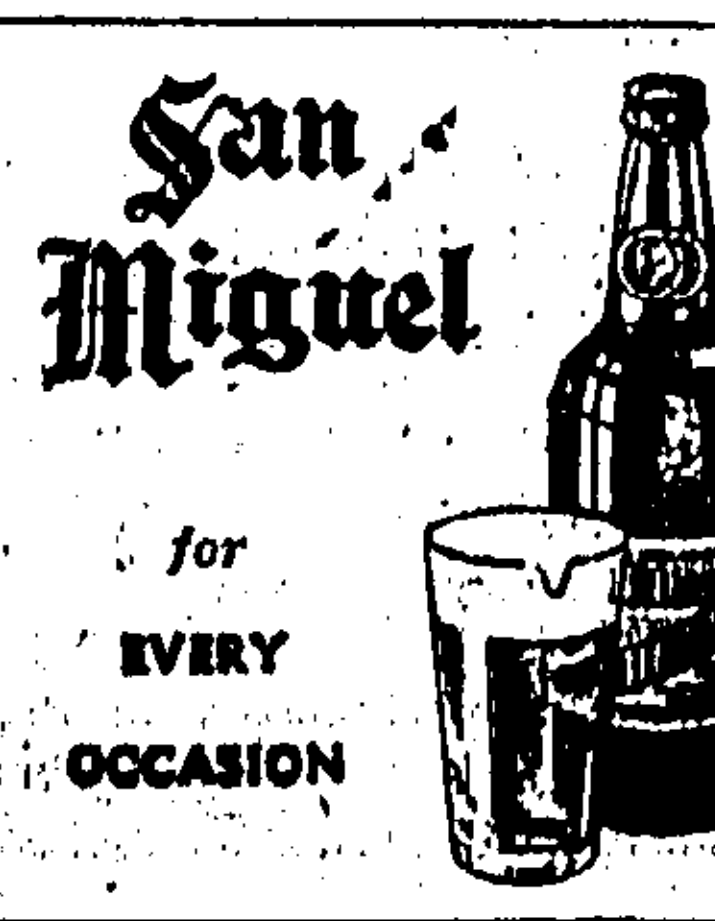
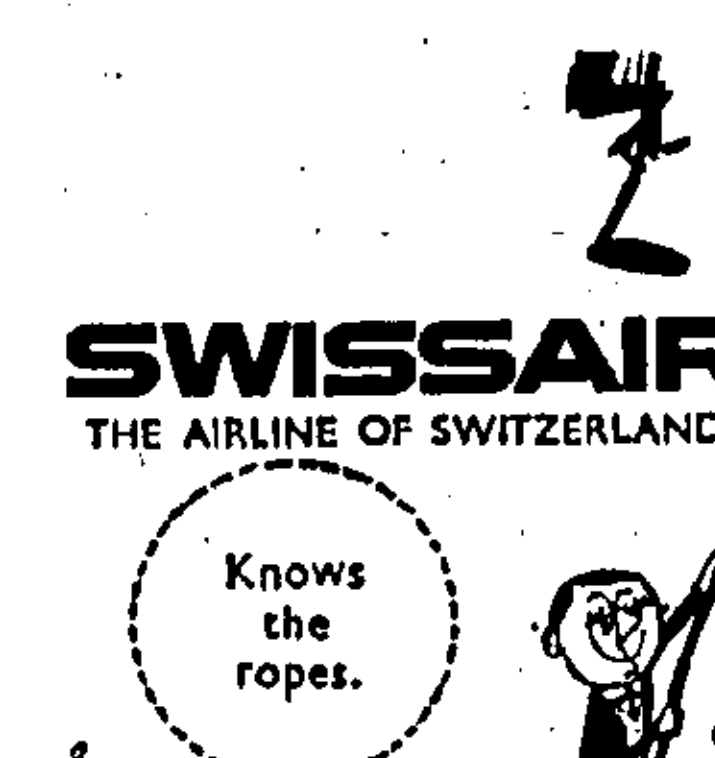
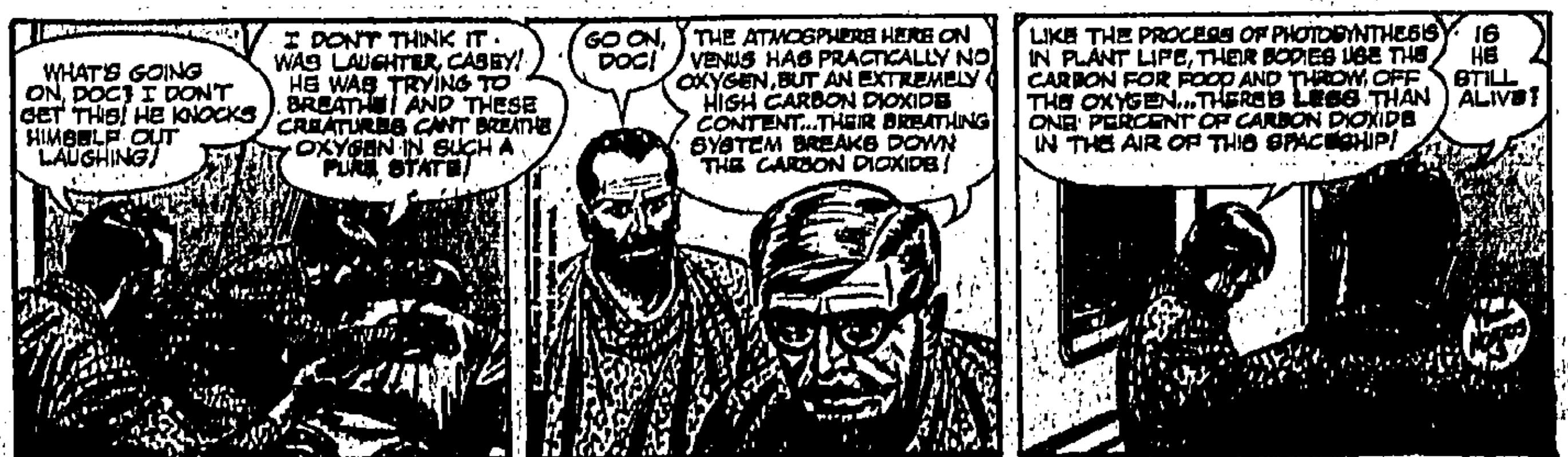
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## Intelligence Report

NEWS OF SIGNIFICANCE  
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**MOSCOW:** Mr Khrushchev wants to equal Britain in making the goods that have Russians goggling at this country's standard of living. He has stated: "In the next 15 years Russia will rise to first place in the world, not only for the overall volume of production but also for output per head."

He is, of course, assuming that our production will remain at a standstill until then. The chart on the right gives the present picture.



**NAIROBI:** The young Aga Khan, now finishing his studies at Harvard, has sent a hush hush letter of warning to East Africa's 100,000 Ismailis. Gist of it: "From June onwards expect serious political trouble in East Africa for next 18 months. Do not leave your businesses or jobs. If you suffer financially the Ismaili Supreme Council (on behalf of the world's 20,000,000 Moslem Ismailis) will look after you."

**LONDON:** Expect no speedy improvement of relations between Viscount Montgomery and his NATO colleagues. His refusal to attend the recent 10th anniversary NATO dinner in London was a curt rejection of the invitation. Monty's criticisms of NATO policy since he left have called for several hakes, particularly from General Norstad, and upset many others.

**KHATMANDU:** Japanese mountaineers will have great difficulty getting Sherpas for Himalayan expeditions next year. Sherpas are complain-

**PARIS:** Secret dossiers are ready in Algiers for the expulsion of French extremists. Right-wing settlers. The hot-headed settlers will be sent to France. This is bad news for

French police who expect the while newcomers will cause just as much trouble as Algerian terrorists in France.

**RIO DE JANEIRO:** Expect worsening of relations between Brazil and South Africa. Projected Brazilian law will bar national sports teams from playing in any country where racial discrimination exists. Law is personally inspired by President Kubitschek, who was furious when last month coloured members of Brazilian football team were barred from playing in Cape Town.

**WASHINGTON:** United States will continue next series of nuclear tests to explosions underground and outside the earth's atmosphere. This will cut down fall-out.

**NEW YORK:** Battle for 1960 Republican presidential nomination is living up. Hopeful Vice-President Nixon is facing tough battle against New York Governor Nelson Rockefeller. New pointer in Rockefeller's favour: he has gained support of Republican "king maker" Thomas Dewey.

**AMMAN:** Jordanian Army staff officers are secretly working out detailed plan for the Jordan Army to march into Syria and occupy key strategic points. Plan would only be applied in event of a Communist coup in Syria. Experts believe Jordan Army would be able to seize all major points in Syria within a 48-hour blitz.

**ANKARA:** Expect diplomatic relations between Vatican and Muslim Turkey to be established following talks between the Pope and Turkish President Bayar.

**CAMBRIDGE:** French Government is wooing some of Britain's best nuclear scientists in the hope of getting them to work in France. This approach follows a British rebuff of the French request for share-out of nuclear know-how.

—(London Express Service).



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## Gaol And Big Fine For Man Found With Drugs

A 26-year-old hawk, Chan Yiu-kai, of 22 Shan Street, who pleaded guilty to charges of possession of heroin and barbitone, was fined \$10,000 or six months, and a prison term of two years on the first charge, and six months on the second. The first and second sentences are to run concurrently.

Mr T. L. Yang at Central imposed the sentence. The prosecution stated that in a raid at 453 Queen's Road West on Monday, defendant was found with 105 packets of heroin and one packet of barbitone in his possession. Defendant had 10 previous convictions, four of a similar nature.

Fined \$1,000

Yue Kam-wah, 39, hawk, was fined \$1,000 or the alternative of four months' gaol when he was found guilty of possession of heroin and escape from lawful custody by Mr J. T. Morris at Central this morning. A charge for assaulting a police constable was dismissed when Mr Morris ruled that there was insufficient evidence to support the charge. Police constable Lo Yat-ping testified that he went with a party of constables to an unnumbered hut in Pokfulam Village on May 30. He saw five or six people sitting or squatting around two lighted lamps. When they saw the Police, they tried to dash out of the hut. Witness said he arrested the defendant outside the hut after a short chase. Six packets of heroin were found on him. While being cautioned, the defendant suddenly bit him on the nose and ran away. Inspector J. R. Wall, prosecuting said the defendant had 10 previous convictions, some for larceny and wounding.

## Drunkard Who Held Up Traffic Fined \$75

"What do you do?" Mr T. L. Yang asked a 40-year-old man who appeared before him at Central Magistracy this morning on a charge of being drunk in a public place. Leung Ki-chuen, of 385 Queen's Road East, third floor, in reply to Mr Yang's question, said, "I am a gentleman."

The "gentleman" was found drunk by patrolling police at 10.30 p.m. yesterday. Leung was standing in the middle of the tram line in Johnston Road, surrounded by a large crowd of people, thus obstructing traffic. When asked to elaborate his statement, defendant said that he was not in any business, but "just collecting rent." Leung, who had a clear record, was fined \$75.

## HK MINES SUSPEND OPERATIONS

The acting chairman of Hongkong Mining Ltd. said this morning that the company had been forced to suspend operations due to a fall in the price of lead. The price fell at the end of June, 1958 to £70 per ton, a figure below mining costs.

In his report to shareholders at the company's annual general meeting, Mr G. Abbass said the loss over the year was \$47,418 owing to operations continuing under necessary restrictions.

Mr Abbass continued: "Your directors took into consideration inquiries from outside parties to operate the mine on a large scale as necessitated by the lead price now ruling, but so far no decision could be made."

The directors of the company agreed to waive their fees for the year.

Mr C. A. Henderson was re-elected a director and Messrs Lowe, Bingham and Matthew re-appointed auditors.

## Business Visit To HK



Mr George J. Gmelch, Vice-President of Freight Traffic of the Pacific Far East Line Inc., of San Francisco, arrived this morning by PAA from Bangkok for a four-day business visit.

His visit to the Colony begins a Far East tour of his company's offices.

He was met at the airport this morning by the Hongkong manager of the shipping line, Mr H. A. Grande, (right) who is seen welcoming Mr Gmelch to Hongkong. Accompanying Mr Gmelch was Mr John C. Hardy, owner's Representative for the company in Hongkong.—China Mail Photo.

## Miss Exhibition Returns Home

About 40 members of the Leung Family Association met the winner of last year's Miss Hongkong Exhibition, Louise Leung, when she arrived at Kai Tak today after three months in Taiwan.

As she stepped from the CAT aircraft, she was greeted by cheers from the group which

was carrying banners with "Welcome Home" on them.

Miss Leung, 17, was also presented with a bouquet.

She said that during her stay in Taiwan she had entertained troops by singing and had visited soldiers' hospitals there.

She had also done radio broadcasting and appeared in a

short autobiographical documentary film.

"I feel very excited and pleased to be home again," Miss Leung said.

She said she did not want to make singing her career. Her ambition was to be an airline stewardess.

She said she would continue her English studies in Hongkong.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Film Reviews

Sir,—Mr N. T. Chow seems to have the almost consistent habit of belittling nearly every film that is reviewed in the Hongkong papers. The latest example is his comment on Mr Anthony Fuller's review of the Japanese science-fiction film, "The H-Man." I cannot help but feel that Mr N. T. Chow, despite his erudition, possesses a remarkable immature mentality.

He does not find the film "in the least frightening." So what? I wasn't horrified by it but I still enjoyed it very much. Mr Chow describes the dialogue as "incredibly banal." What does he expect the dialogue to be in a science-fiction film? He considers the dubbed voices "frightening." On the contrary, after an initial surprise, I thought the dubbing was charming and natural (at any rate, the audience did not find it funny or "frightening"), and as Miss Jean Gordon of the S.C.M. Post put it well, of an "engaging ingeniousness."

What surprises me most is Mr Chow's statement, "Trick effects are unimaginatively sub-standard Hollywood." I believe, technically, "The H-Man" is outstanding and the effects highly original, gruesome and amazingly realistic. The colour photography is quite impressive and imaginative.

Mr Chow believes that "characterisation is practically non-existent." Instead, the acting is unexpectedly above average for this kind of film, e.g. the effective scene in which the horrified expressions on the faces of the Japanese fishermen change into nervous grins, when they realise that the "corpses" lying before them is nothing but empty clothes (the "H-Man" has struck!).

Miss Jean Gordon appears to find the film interesting merely because it is a Japanese production, for a change. So do I. I could even enjoy the film simply because of the presence of the lovely heroine.

I wish Mr Chow would realise that the "H-Man" is only a science-fiction film and therefore not to be taken seriously. After all, in Japan this film could only rate in the "B" category. I fully agree with Mr Anthony Fuller that the "H-Man" is "certainly one of the best science-fiction movies to hit our local theatres."

—THEN-AGER

## Macao Worries About Water Supply

Macao, June 23. Commune workers are busily repairing the 800-yard causeway which links Duck Channel just north of Macao with the Chinese Lappa Islands.

The recent rainstorms and the high tide of the last two days must have damaged this path across the West River at several points. This causeway stops the direct flow of the river water into the Macao inner harbour, causing some apprehension among the water authorities as to the future of the water supply to the colony.

Recent arrivals from the mainland informed that a long stretch of the motor road between Chinsan and Seakid is submerged due to the recent rains. Passengers must leave the buses at these points and take a sampan to cross it, resuming their voyage in another bus.

Thousands of commune workers are engaged to save the latest rice crops because many paddy fields are half-submerged. —AFP.

## New Government

Buenos Aires, June 23. President Arturo Frondizi has decided to establish a right-of-centre government to replace the cabinet which resigned recently as a result of a crisis in the Armed Forces, well informed sources said here today. —AFP.

## This Funny World

